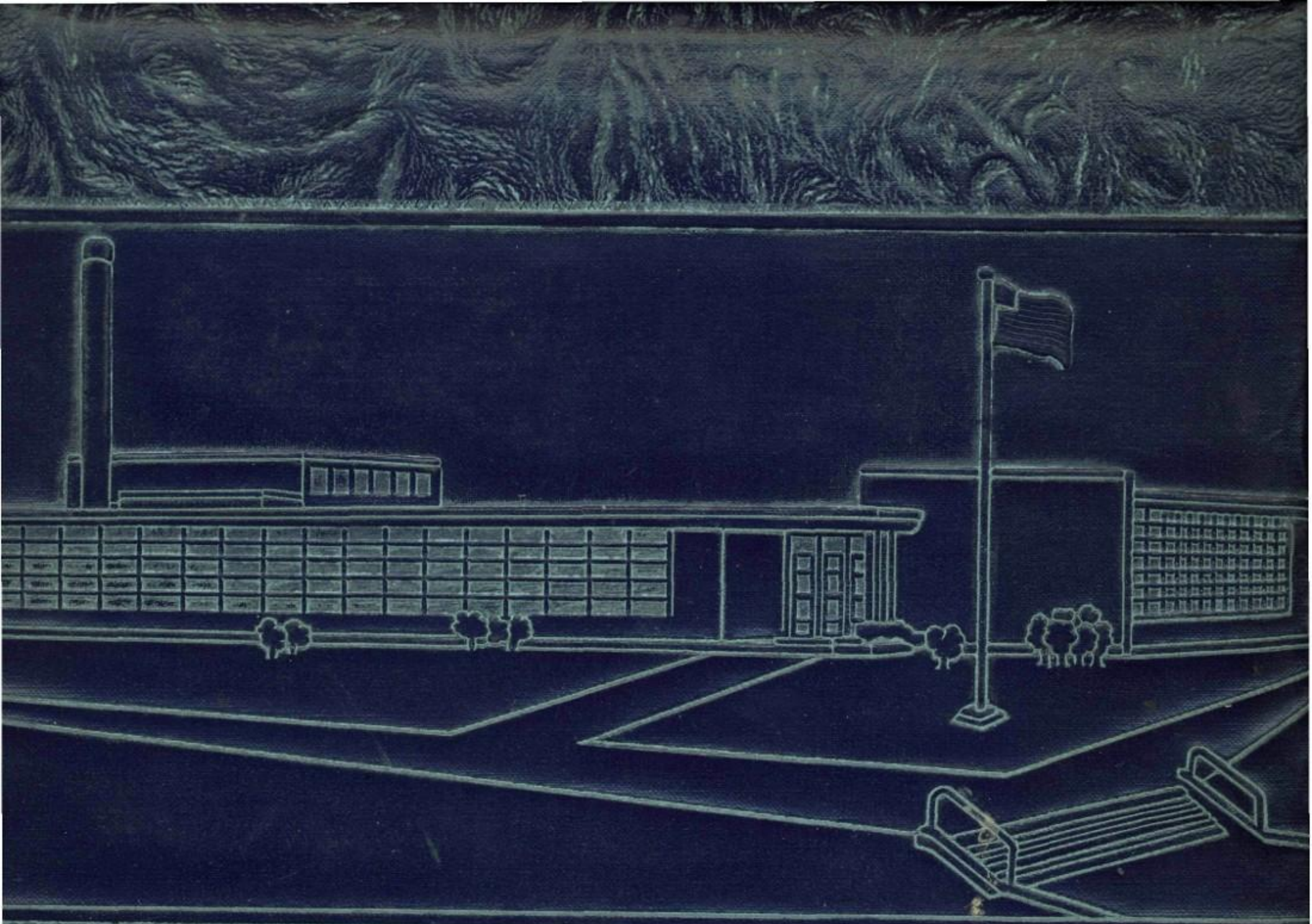




Cherokeean

1954

Hi Al

well, we're finally getting out. I was beginning to believe that it wasn't possible, but it's almost true - just a few more days. Those good-time parties were really fun! Lots of luck to you!

Ed Ann

Albert: This is our last year and soon it will all be over. We've had some good times.

Dr. Ki and Hugh school.

Three good times we had up to your house in Dr. Ki were great. I really enjoyed this year's basketball game with you guys.

Good luck and how about a ride in your car?

James

Dear Al, Through the years we really have had fun together. Playing basketball and juggling and just generally messing around. I'll probably see a lot of you out at the country club this year as I hope to learn how to play golf. Well take care of your self and keep practicing your golf. After all some day your going to beat Ben Hogan in the m arters.

Chuck Peterson

Best of Luck

June McLaughlin

Dear Al,

It has really been lots of fun going to school with you all these years. Remember all the parties and plays.

I want to wish you the best of everything in your future years. Keep up the good work in golf and you'll be another Ben Hogan.

Just a few more days and you'll be through with this place. It sure will seem strange next year around here. Bang and I have had many good times with you and it sure seems like I have known you for more than two years. Best of luck to one of the best in what ever you do in the future.

Jeannette

I've enjoyed playing basketball with you these last two years. It isn't even possible that we will be through in about 2 weeks. I've had lots of fun on some of those parties we had. Best of luck in all and everything you try to do.

Jimmy Pinky Red Johnson

Al

Hi Al -

Dear Al,

Damn you any way! I've spent
nail my clay trying to decide
what the dimensions of the
swimming pool are. Mother
says 4-6 ft! 4-6 strokes, I guess.
I'll never forget that sliding party
you, Gayle, Chuckles, & I had. You
days sure kept me busy trying to
find a date for Petie. Remember that
dumb Rainbow Dance we ~~had~~ went
to when we were Freshman. You
gave me my first corsage. Thrill!
Guess I should never tell
my Mother any thing she can't
keep her big mouth shut.
See you out at the

Country Club this summer
later take in all your
golf games. Send me
an announcement + tell
me you what I total
you I would.

Barb

Hi Al,

You lucky senior you. I
wish I were graduating
this year. It's a shame
that good old Washington has
to lose a good basketball player
like you. Don't get too much sleep.
Be of luck
The Love
this summer.

My dearest Al,
I want that sound
sweet. Sharon is really
a cute kid - (ugh) and
I think you make a
cute couple. Best of
luck in the future and
I hope to see you
this summer.

Dear Al,

You Sun-na-gun; what for you
gon a graduate huh? Maybe cause
you jist don appreciate this here
mud hole no moe. No Moe is the
thing dat I has been waitin
for dis las past year. Well,
you are one of the few people
that I will really miss. The fun
that we have had in Govenment
and the games that we played.
I do believe that we covered
eveny this to talk or think about
in school but the lessons them-
selves. Don't work too hard in
College and if you even think
about it, while you in college,
(on any where) drop me a line
some time. The Bell has just
rung so will sign off.

The very best of Luck
about a aling h

Dear Al,

Well, we are finally getting out of here. I won't be sad to get out of our crazy physics class. I sure don't understand that old stuff, but I'm glad to see you do. Someone was to talk back to the "baw" all the time of course & our star basketball player. Keep up the good work & Hogan will love and enjoy the rest of everything. Barbara M.

Dear Al — —

Remember the old Country Club??
I'll never forget the first time I saw you in a bathing suit — after I finished ~~reading~~ — you threw me in the pool. (only kidding) Good Luck to a guy with personality plus,
Love & Luck,
Jeannie Mulkey

Hi Al,

Remember all the good times we had when we were at Garfield. What a class we had then! By the way, Pat O. and I did catch you! Speech class sure has been fun, too! Never forget the day you imitated Mr. Carlquist. Really funny! How about the time you and Sharon were King and Queen at my party? Remember? I want to wish one of the fellows that really ranks top on my list the very best of everything. Keep up your good work gaffing, I'll be watching you when you play Ben Hogan.
Always —
Shirley Davis

Hi
I've had your
bank for almost
two hours and I've
just started writing in it.
I don't think it's
if you want to the club the summer
maybe you can teach me some good
things. I hope you like it. And I hope
you go to next year. And I hope
lots of fun too! But I hope
I'll want to visit you the next year.
of everything we can get
and a lot of fun. I hope
for a lot of fun.

Dear Al
Did you ever
think we would make
it? I was ready to
give up hope for a while
when you through school for
13 years you are should know
what other pretty well by now.
I've had my little but didn't
come off - but I told you so.
believe I think it's better to
away. I'm happy and you're
decided to go down South. I don't
know you are up to simplicity of
in to see me - you know where I live.
I still feel that I don't have
your place - you put the
the world of all the things you
for a lot of fun.

Handwritten text in a cursive script, likely a letter or a page from a manuscript. The text is written in dark ink on aged, slightly textured paper. The handwriting is dense and fills most of the page, with some lines appearing to be crossed out or heavily corrected. The overall appearance is that of a historical document.

THE CHEROKEAN



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SENIOR CLASS
of 1954
Washington High School
Cherokee, Iowa

Dear all,
Well this is your last year.
I bet you're really glad to
get out of this senior.
Don't drive too fast
or get too much sleep.
Lots of luck to a
swell guy.
Paul
Andersen
P.S. I still
think it's a bust.



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BREAKING THE SOD FOR WASHINGTON HIGH

After the formal act of spading the first dirt for the new high school, work progressed so the building was ready for classes when school bells rang in the fall of 1953. In a very impressive program with members of the school board, administrators, contractors, and other dignitaries on the platform, Senator Guy M. Gillette brought the main address as Washington High School was dedicated to the education of all young people who enter her halls of learning.

FLAGS PRESENTED TO WASHINGTON HIGH

In a very impressive ceremony two flags were presented on dedication day to our new school.

In the top picture Mr. Archie R. Nelson, on behalf of the American Legion, presented a flag to Washington High School. This flag at one time had flown over the U. S. Senate building in Washington, D. C. and had been obtained by U. S. Senator Guy M. Gillette for his home town, for he too is a Cherokee High School graduate. High School Principal M. O. Moe accepted the flag for the school.

Mr. Earl Hobbs, assisted by members of the school band, raised the flag to the top of the new pole and this flag became the first to fly over Washington High. As this historic flag unfurled in the breeze on that beautiful October day, all our hearts were touched as we experienced a new and greater appreciation of our great nation — the land of the free and the home of the brave.



James Smith, senior and president of Student Council, accepts from Mrs. Glenn Waldron a new flag which was given to our new school by the V. F. W. Auxiliary.

The History of Cherokee High Schools



Washington High School is the third high school to be built in Cherokee. Preceding it was the Lincoln building which was opened in 1895 and served the high school classes until 1916 when the Wilson High School building was completed.

The new structure which is located at the intersection of Sixth and Bluff Streets was begun in the summer of 1952. The area where the new school is located covers approximately twenty-five acres. The building faces south with adequate parking and playground areas surrounding it to coincide with the future plans of expansion. The building is designed with the plan in mind that the gymnasium will be built on the west and an auditorium and additional classrooms on the north and east.

The building is 300 feet long and has 26,850 square feet of floor space. Included in its interior are nine classrooms, a library-study hall, and physical education room. In addition there are two teacher rest rooms and lounges, a general office, one book room, one principal's private office, and two counselor rooms. The homemaking unit and science room are two of the most outstanding features of the new building.

Another feature within the school is the library-study hall combination which not only provides all the books and reference material to a large number of students at a time, but also contains a stage which serves as a recreational reading area.

The building was officially opened at a dedication ceremony which was held on October 15, 1953. The American Legion and VFW Auxiliary had charge of the dedication of the flags and flag pole at 3:00 p.m. Senator Guy M. Gillette was the guest speaker at the presentation service at 8:00 p.m. in the gym of the new building.

R. E. CREEL
Superintendent of Schools
B.S., M.A.
Mount Morris College
Iowa State College
University of California
University of Iowa



BONETTA BERNAT
Secretary to the Superintendent



M. O. MOE
High School Principal
B.A., M.A.
Buena Vista College
University of Minnesota



JOANN HINKELDEY
Secretary to the Principal

JOE E. CUFFEL
 B.A. Iowa State Teachers College
 M. A. Colorado State College
 of Education
Industrial Arts
Manager of Athletic Receipts



VERA PRATT
 B.A. Washburn College
Girls' Counselor
English



ESTELLA HENDERSON
 B.S. Drake University
Dean of Girls
Mathematics
Student Council Advisor

The Washington High faculty and administrators enjoy a delicious dinner in the home-making department before their professional meeting later in the evening.





M. E. CHRISTOPHERSON
 B.S. South Dakota State College
 M.S. Kansas State College
Physical Education
Social Science
Coach



ROSE MARIE KIRSCHBAUM
 B.S. Briar Cliff
Girls' Physical Education
Cheerleader Advisor
G.A.A. Advisor



WILLIAM C. LUTHER
 B.A. Luther College
Social Science
Coach



The girls in homemaking class serve dinner to members of the Washington High School faculty one winter evening. Karen Becker is serving coffee to Mr. Creel and Miss Kirschbaum at one of the tables during the course of the meal.

JESSE LUNDY
 B.S. Maryville Teachers
 M.A. State University of Iowa
English
Librarian
Pow Wow Advisor



NORMAN MEYER
 B.S.M. Cornell College
World History
Music



LESLIE LICKLIDER
 B.S. Buena Vista College
Science
Coach

Mr. Lundy, faculty advisor for Pow Wow, and the co-editors of the school paper, Barbara Wallace and Lee Ann Anderson, are looking over the latest issue of the school newspaper printed by Cherokee Daily Times each Monday. They have a good reason to be happy with the paper for the staff does a splendid job in bringing school life to the reading public.

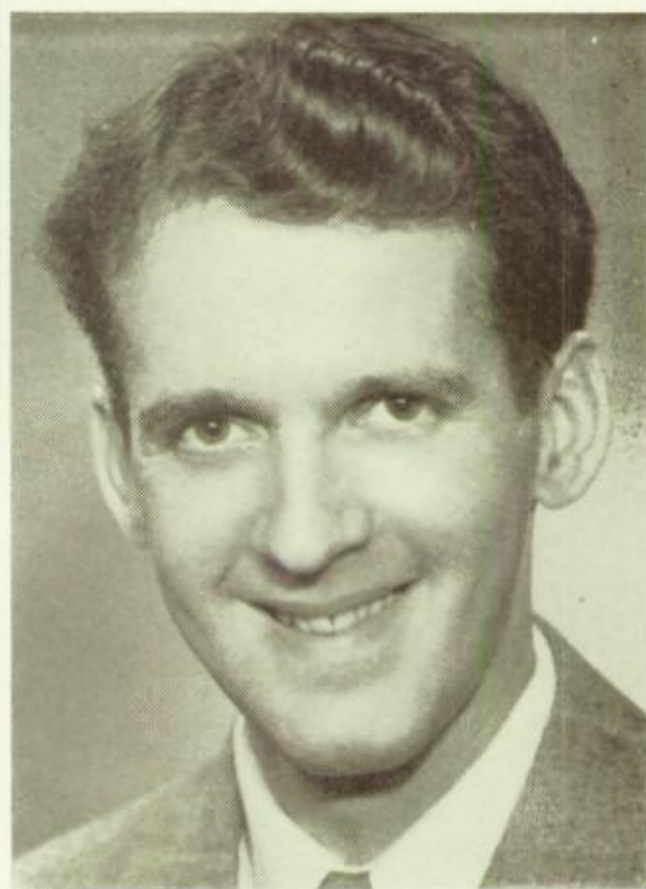




CLINTON STANFIELD
B.A. Iowa State Teachers College
State University of Iowa
Business Education
Cherokeean Advisor



DALE BOHNER
B.A. Westmar College
M.A. State University of Iowa
Business Education
Placement Advisor
Concessions



DONALD REESE
B.A. State University of Iowa
Art
Art Service Club



A picture of some students in business education class taken by their instructor, Mr. Stanfield, during a study of home ownership. Patricia Osterling is explaining the features of a model house and giving the advantages of home ownership to three of her classmates, Kay Nelson, Roger Maitland and Ronald Tuttle.

THEODORE CARLQUEST
B.A. Iowa State Teachers College
English
Spanish
Dramatics



LENORE LANGROCK
B.A. Iowa State Teachers College
Homemaking
G.S.C. Advisor



HELEN McNALLY
B.M.E. Cornell College
Vocal Music

Miss Langrock and her homemaking girls learn the art of making "new furniture" out of old. It was from "rags to riches" as many old pieces of furniture took on a new look during the class project.





EARL W. SHERMAN
B.S. Wisconsin State College
English
Speech
Dramatics



RUSSELL FROYD
B.A. State University of Iowa
Driver Training



DOROTHY FRERIKS
R.N., P.H.N.
State University of Iowa
University of California
School Nurse



Mr. Sherman, speech instructor, and a group of students who attended a speech contest sponsored by Buena Vista look over the results of the contest. Congratulations to Margaret Fuchs, Lee Ann Anderson, Patsy Florine, Caryl Lee Kreykes, and Paula Wilcox for being awarded five "excellent" ratings and one rating of "good" in competition with students from 20 other schools.

SCHOOL CUSTODIANS

A school custodian must be a "jack of all trades" and a "minute man" for he is called upon at any time to do many different jobs every day. Whether it is a job at the athletic field, in the gym, for a class play, doing some repairs, or just cleaning up dirt and papers from classroom and hall — he is on the job doing whatever duty demands.

EARL HOBBS is our head custodian. He must keep a calendar and follow the schedule for all the many school functions that keep the school serving the students and the public day and night throughout the school year.

LEONARD LEASE is pictured explaining the operation of the automatic furnace to some members of the physics class. "Shorty" is glad to explain the many wonderful things in the building to all who ask him.

CHARLES WARREN, chief engineer at the new Washington High School, is a hard working man who is interested in keeping Washington High "spic and span". He spends hours cleaning and polishing the halls and classrooms. He is shown operating the electric floor polisher in the main hall of our school.



The Senior Class of 1954

Presents this *CHEROKEAN* . . . a memory book of classes, organizations, activities, programs, class plays, band and vocal music, crowning a queen, homecoming, parties and dates . . . a treasure chest of faces and days of happiness . . . a record of our high school years.



Front Row: Carol Anderson, Jeanette Swanger, Sharon Holmes, Sylvia Gorna, Joan Keeline, Patricia Florine, Shirley Lauer, Betty McKenzie, Charles Stiles, Sandra Locke, Janet Bengston.

Middle Row: Ruth Peterson, Sally Robinson, Lola Tuttle, Shirley Gehrts, LaVon Peck, Patricia Osterling, Jane Shultz, Margaret Fuchs, Lee Ann Anderson, Irene Angnos, June McLaughlin, Barbara Wallace.

Back Row: Barbara Seaman, Caryl Lee Kreykes, Albert Alingh, Ronald McManus, Al Lothrop, James Hyde, Charles Peterson, Roger Hinkeldey, James Smith, Don Burkhardt, Willard Webb, Mr. Clinton Stanfield, faculty advisor.



We, the members of the senior class, wish to express our appreciation to Caryl Lee Kreykes for drawing the sketch of our new high school which was used on the cover of this *CHEROKEAN*.

She is shown giving her approval to the proof of her work submitted by the cover company before they make the covers for these annuals.

Student Council



Front Row: Donna Lanxon, Barbara Seaman, LaDonna Adamson, June McLaughlin, LaVon Peck, Sharon Holmes, Patty Peterson.
Middle Row: Tom Nelson, Marlene Jensen, Karl Corrington, Marilee Dorr, James Smith, Lee Ann Anderson, Shirley Lauer.
Back Row: Miss Henderson, Robert Armbricht, Charles Peterson, Roger Hinkeldey, Ralph Martin, Donald Burkhart, Mr. Moe.

OFFICERS

<i>President</i>	James Smith
<i>Vice-President</i>	Donald Burkhart
<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i>	Shirley Lauer

The Student Council has three main purposes:
 To promote better understanding between faculty and student body.
 To promote better school spirit among the students.
 To encourage more student participation in school activities.

The council made arrangements for the Homecoming parade in October and the vocational conference held in February.

Members of the organization were the presidents of each of the 9 homerooms and one upper-class representatives from each of the following groups: Girls' Service Club, Honor C Club, Pow Wow, Art Service Club, G. A. A., Vocal Organization, and Band. Two councilmen-at-large, one from each of the junior and senior classes, were elected by the student body.

Council members were LaVon Peck, James Smith, and Charles Peterson, seniors; LaDonna Adamson, Tom Nelson, and Karl Corrington, juniors; Donna Lanxon, Marlene Jensen, and Robert Armbricht, sophomores; Sharon Holmes, G.A.A.; Ralph Martin, Honor C; Roger Hinkeldey, Vocal; Lee Ann Anderson, Art Service Club; June McLaughlin, Band; Shirley Lauer, Pow Wow; Barbara Seaman, G. S. C.; Marilee Dorr, junior-at-large; and Donald Burkhart, senior-at-large. Patty Peterson was an honorary council member.

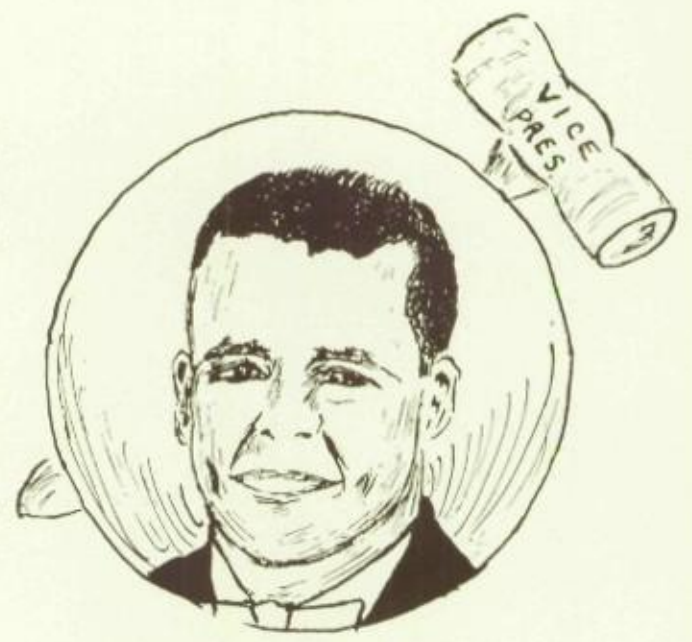
The Senior Class

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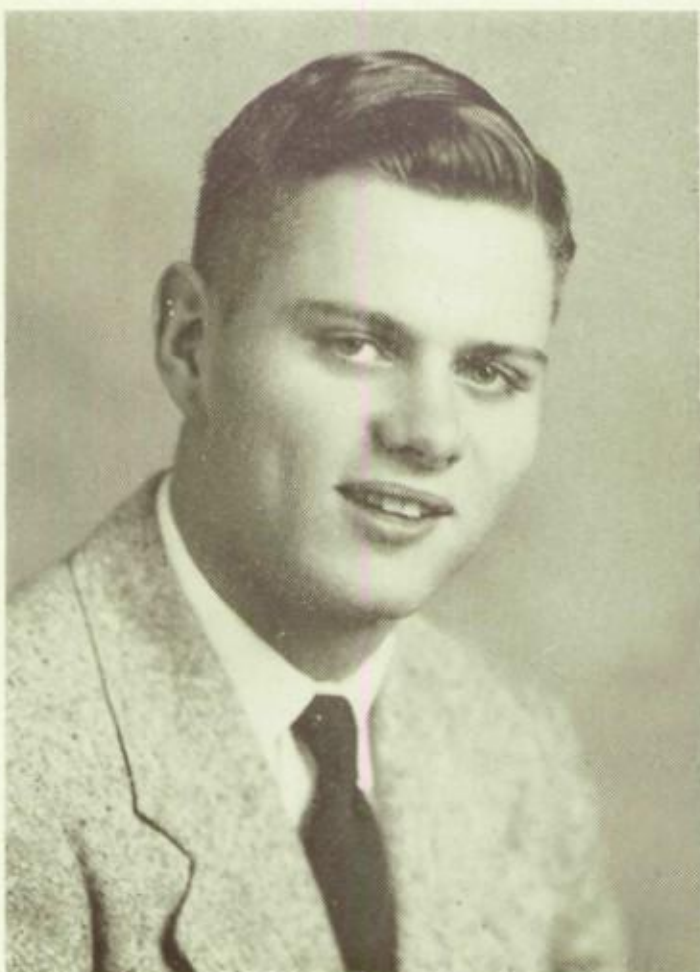
Charles Maffin..... *President*
Willard Webb..... *Vice-President*
Ruth Peterson..... *Secretary*
Jeanene Johnson..... *Treasurer*

ADVISORS

Clinton Stanfield..... Room 12
Dale A. Bohner..... Room 13
Jesse Lundy..... Room 1
Motto: "Find a way or make one"
Colors: Purple and Pink
Flower: Orchid



REPRESENTATIVE SENIORS



The CHEROKEAN Staff
takes pleasure in
announcing
CHARLES STILES
and
PATRICIA FLORINE
as representative boy
and girl of the senior
class.

They were selected by
the popular vote of their
classmates on the
following standards:
average scholastic ability,
loyalty, sportsmanship,
friendliness, courtesy,
and participation in
school activities

CONGRATULATIONS!

Washington Graduates

Four years together, be it so,
And now in parting, as we go,
"Let's do our best," we've always said
"And carve our place up to the head."

ALBERT ALINGH

*"Al is a member of our band,
As a drummer he takes his stand."*

Vocal Music 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Play 1.

DOROTHEA ADOLF

*"Tall and as blond as can be,
Ready to lend a hand is she."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3; G.A.A. 2,3,4.



CAROL ANDERSON

*"Her future lies in commercial work,
There's no doubt, she will not shirk."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Play 2; Cherokeean; Vocal Music 2,3; Officer 1.

GEORGE BREWER

*"A future farmer is this lad,
Learning the tricks from his dad."*



DONALD BURKHART

*"One of the toughest guys on our team,
You'll find Don's always on the beam."*

Class Officer 2; Football 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Honor C 3,4; Cherokeean.

LEE ANN ANDERSON

*"This young miss really rates,
When it comes to discussions or debates."*

Band 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Pow Wow 3,4; Pow Wow Editor 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4; Cherokeean.





IRENE ANGLOS

*"If the team was losing, she'd still hollar,
On this you could bet your bottom dollar."*

Cheerleader 2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; Pow Wow 3,4; Cherokeean.



JANET BENGSTON

*"Here's a gal that's loaded with clerical skill,
She does good work and always will."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean.



MARY LOU BYOUE

*"Here's a gal that may be short,
But she rates high in any sport."*

Vocal Music 1; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4.



MARVIN CORRINGTON

*"When it comes to dressing neat,
This boy is really hard to beat."*

Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3; Track 2,3,4; Honor C 3,4.



RONALD HAHN

*"In football he scared every town,
Always a smile — never a frown."*

Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3; Honor C 3,4.



CHARLENE CONLEY

*"Here's a real fun loving teen,
Last name's Conley—first Charlene."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4.



DARLEEN CUMMINS

*"She leads a life that is carefree,
But always willing to help is she."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4.



RONALD HARTLIEP

*"Ron is one who is there on time,
To help a friend or lend a dime."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2.

DORIS DAVIS

*"Doris hardly ever makes a sound,
But a nicer friend could not be found."*
G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4.

PATRICIA DERKSEN

*"The day doesn't end when her work is done,
Because Pat's life is chuck full of fun."*
G.S.C. 2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2.

ROGER HINKELDEY

*"Here's a guy who wants to assist,
All temptations he can not resist."*
Football 1; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Plays 2,3; Student Council 4; Cherokeean.

PATRICIA FLORINE

*"Patsy's known as a lover of sports,
And can show her skill on many courts."*
Pow Wow 2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4;
Vocal Music 1,2; Plays 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean; Class President 3.

MARGARET FUCHS

*"When is comes to grades, Marg never fails,
But there are other things in which she excels."*
Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4;
Pow Wow 3,4; Cherokeean.

JAMES HYDE

*"Not a thing he doesn't try,
But on Jim you can rely."*
Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean; Plays 1,2,3.

ELDON JACKSON

*"Eldon works most all the day,
It's his laugh that makes him gay."*

SHIRLEY GEHRTS

*"If all of life is to be a pleasure,
She'll have many memories to treasure."*
G.A.A. 3,4; G.S.C. 3,4; Cherokeean; Vocal Music 4;
Homeroom Officer 3.





SYLVIA GORNA

*"For a girl who's not too short,
She's known to be a good sport."*

Plays 1,2,3; A.S.C. 3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean.



SHARON HOLMES

*"Here's a gal that can't be beat,
With personality and smile so sweet."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Plays 2,3; Pow Wow 3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. President 4; Cherokeean.



ANN JOHNSON

*"She is a blond 'Swede',
Always ready to help a friend in need."*

G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4.



LARRY JOHNSON

*"A play in football he'd seldom miss,
If you don't believe us, just ask Chris."*

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Honor C 2,3,4; Play 1.



LORNE LEEDS

*"When career time comes round,
This chap will be farmer bound."*

Vocal Music 1; Basketball 1; Audio Visual 4.



JEANENE JOHNSON

*"She may be short and jolly,
There's a method to her folly."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Plays 2.



JOAN KEELINE

*"She's a real sweet gal; but shy,
Who also answers to the name of Pie."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; Band 3,4; Vocal Music 3,4; Cherokeean; Play 2.



ALBERT LOTHROP

*"He has ability on the basketball floor,
And finds that golfing is not a bore."*

Basketball 1,2,3,4; Golf 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2; Honor C Club 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,3.

CARYL LEE KREYKES

*"Always on the go is she,
Buzzing around like a busy bee."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean; Pow Wow 2,3,4; Quill & Scroll 3,4; Play 2,3; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; A.S.C. President 4.

CHARLES MAFFIN

*"Always busy and on the run,
Likes good times and lots of fun."*

Track 1,2,3,4; Play 2; Class President 4.

ROGER MAITLAND

*"Roger is never a quiet guy,
He's new this year at Washington High."*

Football 1,3; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2; Track 2,3,4.

SHIRLEY LAUER

*"Personality plus and smile so sweet,
With a laugh that can't be beat."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Band 3,4; Pow Wow 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean; Student Council 4; G.A.A. 2,3,4.

SANDRA LOCKE

*"Because of her ready and casual greeting,
Sandra is a girl worth meeting."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Band 2,3,4; G.A.A. 4; Cherokeean; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4.

DONALD MALCOM

*"Don speaks Spanish when he's mad,
He's not mad often, and we're glad."*

Library 2,3,4; Audio Visual 2,3,4; Pow Wow 3; Vocal Music 3,4; Plays 1,2,3; Cherokeean.

RALPH MARTIN

*"Huck's the athlete of our class,
In football many he did surpass."*

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3; Honor C 1,2,3,4; Honor C President 4.

LOIS MENKE

*"Although she's quiet, she's quite a gal,
Her winning way, brings her many a pal."*

G.S.C. 3,4; Vocal Music 1,2,4.





GERALD McGLOTHLEN

*"In this world he'll go far,
Charming ladies and driving his car."*

Band 4; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2; Play 3; Football 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2.



BETTY McKENZIE

*"Betty's got brains in sports and school,
With ability and personality she can rule."*

Pow Wow 4; Play 2,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Vocal Music 1,2; Library 2,3,4; Cherokeean.



JUNE McLAUGHLIN

*"For music June is very well known,
Her voice has a clear melodious tone."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Pow Wow 2,3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; Student Council 4; Cherokeean.



RONALD McMANUS

*"Ronnie's an ace at photography,
But a comedian at heart we'll agree."*

Pow Wow 1,2,4; Plays 2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Cherokeean.



KENNETH NORD

*"In trumpet playing Kenny excels,
Also in Manager-ship he compels."*

Vocal Music 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Student Manager 2,4; Honor C 3,4; Track 1,2.



FERN NELSON

*"Fern's a quiet sort of a gal,
But oh, what a pleasure to be her pal."*

G.S.C. 2,3,4.



PATRICIA OSTERLING

*"Pat's the poet of our class,
Always helpful is this lass."*

G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Pow Wow 2,3,4; Class Officer 3; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2; Cheerleader 3,4; Cherokeean.



RICHARD OLIN

*"Loaded with wit and craft,
He'll soon be taken by the draft."*

LAVON PECK

*"A secretary someday LaVon will be,
Then a house wife you will see."*

G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4;
Vocal Music 1,2,3; Cherokeean; Class Officer 1,2;
Homeroom Officer 1,2,4; Plays 1,2.

CHARLES PETERSON

*"He has everything plus being tall,
With friendliness he will not fall."*

Basketball 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2,3,4;
Student Council 4; Honor C 3,4; Vocal Music
1,2,3,4.

DONALD PETERSON

*"Here is a guy who was small,
Now he's a joker that's not small at all."*

PATTY PETERSON

*"Loves to cheer and farm the land,
We'll all confess she's mighty grand."*

Cheerleader 2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,
3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Cherokeean; Vocal
Music 1,2,3,4; Play 2.

RUTH PETERSON

*"Ruthie was our Homecoming Queen,
With personality plus, the reason's seen."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Class Officer 2,3,4;
Student Council 3; Cherokeean; A.S.C. 4.

LAVERE PFALZGRAF

*"LaVere is quite a guy we'll all agree,
Always a ride he'll give you free."*

Football 3; Track 3.

*Best of Luck
a
Stuff,
Ruth*

LEONARD RANNEY

*"The National Guard is everywhere,
Whether rain or shine Junior's there."*

Football 1,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4;
Cherokeean; Honor C 4; Audio Visual 2,3,4.

SHIRLEY PHIPPS

*"With figure and personality, she has class,
She's a smart, petite, good-looking lass."*

G.A.A. 3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Vocal Music
1,2,3,4.





SALLY ROBINSON

*"On her finger a ring we can see,
This quiet gal a housewife will be."*
G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Cherokeean.



BARBARA SEAMAN

*"An actress at heart we all can see,
Some day on the stage this girl may be."*
G.A.A. 2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. President 4;
Plays 1,2,3,4; Pow Wow 4; Student Council 2,4;
A.S.C. 4; Homeroom Officer 1,2,3; Cherokeean;
Library 4; Vocal Music 2.



JANE SHULTZ

*"Janie's a friendly sort of a lass,
An all round gal with lots of class."*
G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 4; Cherokeean; Vocal Music 1,2,3,4.



GERALD REED

*"A party boy is this 'keed,'
Of course, none other than Jerry Reed."*
Football 1.



PATRICK RYAN

*"Pat is our hero of the game,
From this boy, we got our fame."*
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4.



JEANETTE SWANGER

*"Sweet and petite is this farmerette,
Her career is undecided yet."*
G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 2,3,4; Cherokeean.



MARILYNN SWANSON

*"She's known as a happy mixed up kid,
But from many a man she'll get a bid."*
Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 3; G.S.C. 2,4.



JAMES SMITH

*"President of Student Council is this busy
senior grad,
An all-round personality marks this
friendly lad."*
Football 2,3,4; Honor C 3,4; Track 2,3; Student
Council 1,4; Student Council President 4; Cherokeean.

CHARLES STILES

*"Chuck excels in most everything, it's true,
From sports to writing and uke playing, too."*

Vocal Music 1,2,3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Class President 1,2; Honor C 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Plays 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,2; Cherokeean; Pow Wow 2,3,4.

LOLA TUTTLE

*"She's a farm girl from way back,
But there is nothing that she does lack."*

Vocal Music 4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; A.S.C. 3,4; Cherokeean.

BARBARA WALLACE

*"This red head has personality plus,
Ready to help without a fuss."*

Band 3,4; Vocal Music 1,3,4; G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; Pow Wow 2,3,4; Play 2; Cherokeean; A.S.C. 3,4; Quill and Scroll 2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4.

WILLARD WEBB

*"Wee Willie has dimples on his face,
In football and track he wins the race."*

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3; Honor C 3,4; Play 3.

FRANKLIN McFARLANE

*"Frank is far from the quiet type,
Yet he is one who will seldom gripe."*

ALICE JULIUS

*"With a ready smile she'll greet you,
No matter where she may meet you."*

G.S.C. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4.



SENIORS RECALL GRADE SCHOOL DAYS

Many seniors remember when this photo was taken ten years ago. They were in the second grade in Garfield and were the first 100 per cent health grade in the city. School nurse Dorothy Freriks took the picture.

Back Row: Shirley Lauer, LuDene Bengston, Dean Dawson, Robert Graybill, Joan Keeline, Ruth Peterson, George Peters, Charlotte Wright, Betty McKenzie, Beverly Steward, Bill Long, Dick Turnquist.
Center Row: LaVon Peck, Marilyn Swanson, Carol Anderson, Gerry Maddox.
Front Row: Lyle Coughill, Donald Peterson, Ronald McManus, Irene Angnos, Jack Borrink, and Albert Lothrop.



Senior Characteristics

<i>Name</i>	<i>Nickname</i>	<i>Is</i>	<i>Has</i>	<i>Raves About</i>	<i>Noted For</i>	<i>Ambition</i>
Dorothea Adolf	Dotto	Blonde	Figure	Cobb	Parties	Show business
Albert Alingh	Al	Drummer	Rhythm	Times Office	Drums	Own an orchestra
Carol Anderson	Cookie	Cute	Loads of fun	Shorthand	Blonde hair	Leave Cherokee
Lee Ann Anderson	Lee	Engaged	A locker partner	Bob	Intelligence	Get married
Irene Angnos	Rene	Greek	Long eye lashes	Diets	Cheerleading	Go to Reno
Janet Bengston	Toots	In band	A brother	Bookkeeping	Clarinet playing	Travel
George Brewer		Pleasant	Curly hair	Fox hunting	Green Plymouth	Be a farmer
Donald Burkhardt	Donsy	A good time boy	Ideas	Women	Night life	Raise chickens
Mary Lou Byouer	Bugs	Taken	Engagement ring	Floyd	Late hours	Settle down
Charlene Conley	Char	Easy going	Parties	The gang	Fun	Go with Dotto
Marvin Corrington	Mert	Handsome	A Toni	Girls	Brown & white shoes	Sleep
Darlene Cummins		Swell	Friends	Relatives	Pictures	Graduate
Doris Davis	Jeannie	"Reserved"	A ring	Jim	Quietness	Hear wedding bells
Patricia Derksen	Patty	A waitress	Drivers license	What?	Hitting trains	Do anything
Patricia Florine	Patsy	Friendly	A horse	A. L. C.	Spitting chili?	Physical Therapy
Margaret Fuchs	Marg	On the beam	Vocabulary	Bob	Scholastic ability	Manage Swansons
Shirley Gehrts	Gehrtser	Fun	Diamond	Jerry	Budget	Own a Cadillac
Sylvia Gorna	Sliver	Noisy	Curly hair	Buck	Remarks	Have fun
Ronald Hahn	Cliff	Athletic	Rattletrap	Parties	Good times	Own a cafe
Ronald Hartliep	Ronnie	A driver ?	Car	Marge	Sleeping in class	Own Katzman's
Roger Hinkeldey	Hink	Harmless	A puddle jumper	Everything	Ironical attitude	Manage a complaint department
Sharon Holmes	Shorty	Lively	Men trouble	REA	Laugh	Live in a trailer
James Hyde	Jim	Heavy	Pretty hair	Women	Giving rides	Theater manager
Eldon Jackson	Pork	Funny	Big ideas	Good times	Literary ability	Party boy
Ann Johnson	Annabelle	Good time	Fun	Parties	Humor	Build a party center
Jeanene Johnson	Neaner	Noisy	A giggle	Boys	Talkativeness	Own a sparkler
Larry Johnson	Pinky	Hooked	Jeanette	Sports	Athletic ability	Own John Deere Co.
Alice Julius		Quiet	Friends	Skating	Her sturdy car	Own a bus line
Joan Keeline	Pie	Sociable	Pierced ears	Good times at lakes	Clothes	Go to Europe
Caryl Lee Kreykes	Kreg	Artistic	Dale	Her man	Rushing	Mrs. "C——"
Shirley Lauer	Flower	A steady	The gang	Bud	Giggle	Own a "Morgue"
Lorne Leeds		Single	Putmobile	School	Being quiet?	Work with radios
Sandra Locke	Sandy	In physics class	A smile	Morley	Red hair	Follow Morley
Albert Lothrop	Al	Thin	Golf ability	Chrysler (?)	Basketball ability	Join Globe Trotters

Senior Characteristics

<i>Name</i>	<i>Nickname</i>	<i>Is</i>	<i>Has</i>	<i>Raves About</i>	<i>Noted For</i>	<i>Ambition</i>
Charles Maffin	Ozzie	Class President	Good times	Parties	Loafing	Be a teacher
Roger Maitland	Rog	New Student	Taxi	Alta basketball team	Trips to Alta	Live in Alta
Donald Malcom	Flash	Librarian	Good Voice	Spain	Dark Glasses	Travel
Ralph Martin	Huck	Football player	Muscles	Muscles	"Yokes"	Be a coach
Lois Menke	Squirt	Nice	A man	Texas	Liking Texas	Lab technician
Frank McFarlane	Woosh	Fun	Jeanene	Neaner	Trips to Cobb	Manage Neaner
Gerald McGlothlen	Jer-Jer	From Sibley	Jer-Jer Mobile	Swing band	Sax playing	Veterinarian
Betty McKenzie	Betsy	Intelligent	A smile	Nothing (?)	Basketball	See the world
June McLaughlin	Junie	Ambitious	Plans	Nursing	Talent	Be a nurse
Ronald McManus	Reggie	American	Curly hair	"Gerter"	Sense of humor	Be a doctor
Fern Nelson	Fernie	Humorous	Buick	School	Crazy driving	Beautician
Kenneth Nord	Tiger	Shy	Physique	Anything	Glasses	Ray Anthony II
Richard Olin	Ole	Printer	Pontiac	Food	Working	Own print shop
Patricia Osterling	P.O.	Tall	Ability	Osterling Construction	Rare times	Go to her wedding
LaVon Peck	Bushel	Going Steady	Bob	Being overworked	Soda jerk	Mrs. Roberts
Charles Peterson	Petey	Lanky	Size 12 shoes	Graduation	17 rebounds	Bird watcher
Donald Peterson	Puddin	A joker	Grown	Size of family	Teasing	Fat man in circus
Patty Peterson	Hayseed	A cheerleader	Sparkler	Virg	Tiny Waist	Have even dozen
Ruth Peterson	Tootie	Sweet	Personality	Billy	Homecoming Queen	Spotless kitchen
LaVere Pfalzgraf	LaVere Dear	Likeable	Boots	Females	Driving Ability	Stock car racer
Shirley Phipps	Phipps	Hilarious	Good figure	Long walks	Ambition	Model French bathing suits
Leonard Ranney	Junior	A worker	Red hair	New Hampshire	Tagging	Win mile in Olympics
Gerald Reed	Jerry	On the go	Sense of humor	Women	Whistling (?)	Own a harem
Sally Robinson	Sal	Handy	Hope chest	Howard	Crazy laugh	Perfect mother
Patrick Ryan	Pat	Stubborn	Little red Ford	Pat	Basketball ability	Cut hair
Barbara Seaman	Barb	Studious	Clothes	Swimming	Shaded hair	Write a novel
Jane Shultz	Janie	Loaded	Plans	(?)	Temper	Make a million
James Smith	Jim	Versatile	Troubles	Sioux Valley hospital	College friends	Be a lawyer
Charles Stiles	Chuckles	Good looking	Writing Ability	Anything	Playing "uke"	Godfrey II
Jeanette Swanger		Farm girl	Parties	Boys	Artistic ability	Find a husband
Marilynn Swanson		Fun	Good looks	Opposite sex	Her driving	Bachelor's Home
Lola Tuttle	Dutch	Dependable	Everything	Everything	Long hair	Marry millionaire
Barbara Wallace	Barbie	Well liked	Personality	Physics	Red hair	Fly to moon
Willard Webb	Spider	Gone Kid	Dimpler	His Plymouth	Hair styles	Sleep all day

Senior Class presents "The Curious Savage"

John Patrick's play "The Curious Savage", which was first produced in October, 1950, was selected as the senior production of the class of 1954.

Through Ethel Savage, played by Patsy Florine, the audience met gentle inmates of the "Cloisters". Florence, Barbara Wallace; Hannibal, Roger Hinkeldey; Fairy May, Sharon Holmes; Jeffery, Charles Stiles and Mrs. Paddy, Caryl Lee Kreykes.

The purpose of these people, according to the playwright, is to show contrast between Mrs. Savage's children and the insane world on the outside. Representing that world are Titus, the senator, Charles Peterson; Samuel, the jurists, James Smith; and the much married Lily Belle, Irene Angnos. The children design to have their mother declared insane in order to control the family millions for themselves.

As guardians of sanity and proportion Dr. Emmett, Ronald McManus, and Miss Willie, Patricia Osterling, added to the solution of the complication which arose over Mrs. Savage's sanity and her ten million dollars in bonds.

These people, each with his own lack of mental balance, should be remembered for their qualities as human beings and not for their incapacities.

This comedy, blended with charm, humor and fantasy was presented April 8 under the direction of Earl Sherman, speech director, with the help of Betty McKenzie and Sandra Locke as student directors. Also assisting Mr. Sherman were James Smith and Frank McFarlane on stage production and Jeanene Johnson on make-up.

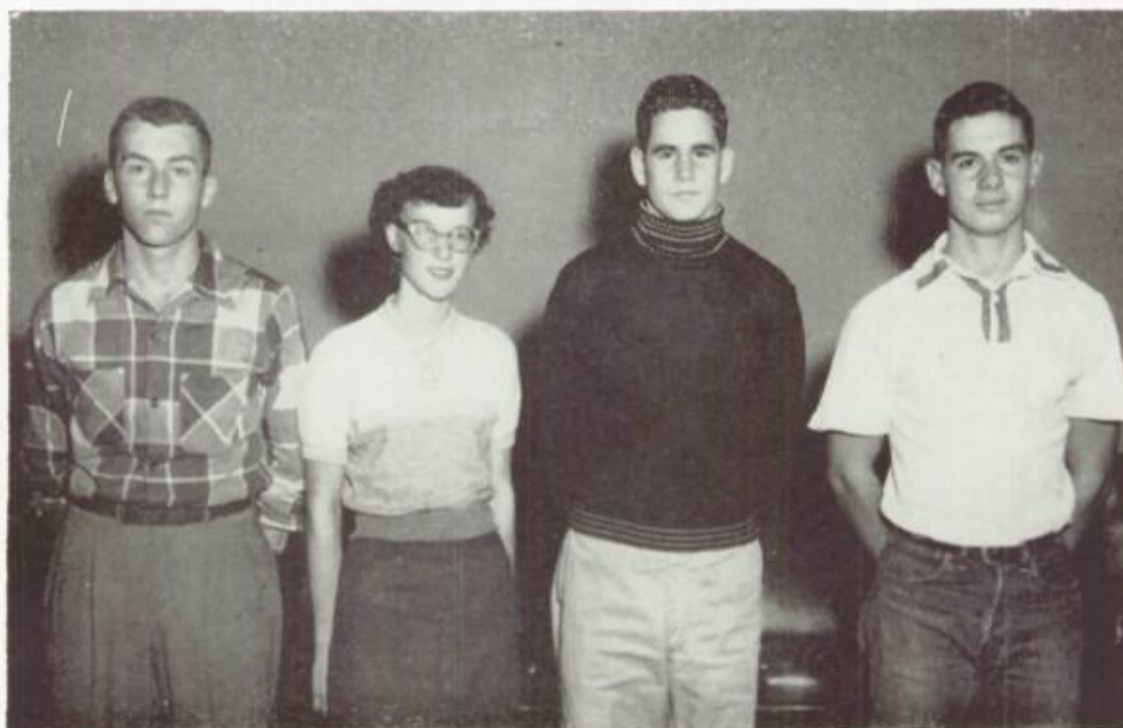
Programs and Ushers Mr. Dale Bohner
Janet Bengston, Patricia Derksen
Jeanette Swanger, Lois Menke
Jane Shultz, Ann Johnson

Publicity Mr. Jesse Lundy
Caryl Lee Kreykes, Joan Keeline
Shirley Lauer, June McLaughlin
Patty Peterson, Jane Shultz
Jeanette Swanger, Doris Davis
Alice Julius, Mary Lou Byouer

Finance Mr. Clinton Stanfield
Barbara Seaman, Patty Peterson
Joan Keeline, Charlene Conley

JUNIOR CLASS

To make the Prom really rate
We juniors worked early and late;
We watched the pitch, the tone, the speed,
Of color harmony took a special heed;
And now as each one does his bit,
We'll know from you if it's a hit.



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Theodore Carlquest

HOMEROOM FOUR



Front Row: Beverly Fee, Peggy Waddell, Carole Newland, Paula Wilcox, Kay Nelson, Mary Frances Peterson, Veda Rice, Shirley Howard, Adah Maitland.

Middle Row: Helen Meyers, Beverly Fischer, Dennis Kolpin, Gayle Farlee, Walter Benson, Doris Laursen, Jeanette Wester, Darlene Clement, Caroline Cosier.

Back Row: Kenneth Lee, Miss Kirschbaum, Tom Nelson, Wanda Dilocker, Ryle Rienfeld, Ronald Tuttle, Phillip Hartliep, Joyce Ehlers, James Light, Paul Rausch.

Not Pictured: Donna Beck, Ronald Miller, Donald Hahn.

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Mary Peterson	Treasurer
Rose Kirschbaum	Advisor

HOMEROOM THREE



Front Row: La Donna Adamson, Janice Doherty, Mary Ann Grauer, Mary Jane Van Amberg, Susan Stiles, Lorraine Johnson, Julie Quinn, Kay Colvert, Marilyn Alloway.
Middle Row: Mr. Carlquest, Donna Smith, Kay Rasmus, Joan Hantsbarger, Wayne Ekren, Robert Cuffel, Julius Hanson, Lorene Johnson, Delores Jenness, Glenda Parker.
Back Row: Edgar Lickiss, Henry Phipps, Ronald Scott, Donald Moore, Roger Taylor, Clinton Kelly, Robert Montgomery, Robert Creel, Mary Jo Barry, Margaret Carlson.
Not Pictured: Daniel Miller, Michael Walker.

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 T. O. Carlquest *Advisor*



HOMEROOM SIX



Front Row: Jacqueline Spence, Margo Latham, Juanita Cougill, Marilyn Halstrom, Karin Grauer, Marilyn Lickiss, JoAnn Redman, Sally Jones, Nancy Casey.
Middle Row: Mr. Licklider, Clella Turnquist, Larry Jones, Alike Jean Hetrick, Patricia Lash, Merry Clark, Lois Ehrich, Bernice Osterling, Karl Corrington, Willard Brinegar.
Back Row: Marilee Dorr, Lorraine Halstrom, Donald Perrin, Theodore Mahler, Dale Grauer, Gaylord Peters, Richard Sagness, Evan Ritter, Robert Pinkerton, Lawrence Watts.
Not Pictured: Janice Stevens.

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"I REMEMBER MAMA"

On November 20, the Junior Class, under the direction of Mr. Sherman, presented a two-act comedy, "I Remember Mama."

Katrin (Lois Ehrich) tells the story of her family who had lived in San Francisco for as long as she could remember. Mama (Joan Hantsbarger) had a bank account that never would be used until a critical moment arose. When Dagmar (Carole Newland) went to the hospital, Mama saw her only after disguising herself as a scrubwoman and fooling the hospital staff.

There was a time when Aunt Trina (Shirley Howard) wanted to marry Mr. Thorkelson (Ted Mahler), but was afraid to ask permission of the head of the family, gruff Uncle Chris (Phil Hartliep). Mama in her kind way saw to it that her timid sister had her wish. When Uncle Chris died, the entire family found out the fine things he had done for children like Arne (Willard Brinegar) who were lame like himself.

Kathrin wanted to become a writer and when her stories were rejected, Mama went to the famous author Florence Dana Moorehead (Peggy Waddell) and in exchange for her secret recipe got criticism on Katrin's stories. Katrin tried again and in writing about her own family she was successful. It was only then that Mama and Papa (Bob Montgomery) told the children that there was no bank account. The lie had been told to give the children security.

CREW CHAIRMEN

<i>Lighting</i>	Roger Taylor
<i>Make-up</i>	Mary Jane VanAmberg
<i>Ticket Sales</i>	Wanda Dilocker, Lorene Johnson
<i>Costumes and Properties</i>	Julia Quinn
<i>Student Director</i>	Paula Wilcox

CAST

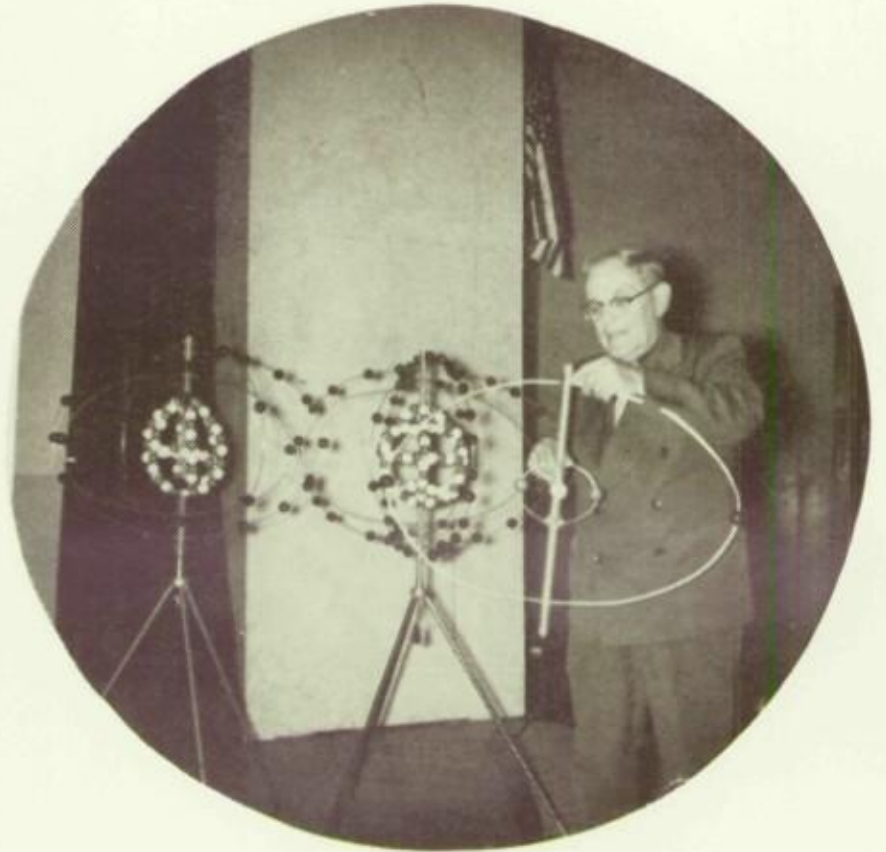
Mama	Joan Hantsbarger
Katrin	Lois Ehrich
Papa	Bob Montgomery
Dagmar	Carole Newland
Nels	Wayne Ekren
Christine	Beverly Fee
Mr. Hyde	Bob Cuffel
Aunt Trina	Shirley Howard
Aunt Jenny	Janice Doherty
Aunt Sigrid	Margaret Carlson
Uncle Chris	Phil Hartliep
Mr. Thorkelson	Ted Mahler
Madeline	Nancy Casey
Dorothy	Delores Jenness
Doctor Johnson	Dick Sagness
Arne	Willard Brinegar
Jessie	Donna Smith
Soda Clerk	Lorene Johnson
Nurse	Veda Rice
Nurse	Marilyn Alloway
Florence Dana Moorehead	Peggy Waddell





Miss Dorothy Freriks, school nurse, taught "Care of the sick in the home" to members of the homemaking classes. She is shown teaching the proper way to help a sick person rest in a sitting position when they are recovering from an illness.

Mr. C. E. Jones always presents a very good educational assembly for the junior and senior high school students. This year we especially enjoyed his very interesting and timely program about atomic energy.



It was time for GSC to decorate the Christmas tree in the study hall and we were so happy. We were thinking about the 'joys of the season' and the two weeks of vacation so near at hand.

James Smith, student council president, confers with Mr. R. T. Craigo, general assembly speaker for the Eighteenth Annual Vocational Conference. James presided at the assembly meeting and was student chairman for this high school career day.



John Turnland had a little raccoon. And everywhere John went the 'coon was sure to go. It came to school one day and visited biology class. When it became very friendly with the instructor, Mr. Licklider, the students laughed in great delight.

Two bold students, Jeanne Mulkey and Patricia Gillespie, reveal the hidden secrets of their locker as they do a little spring house cleaning.



Sophomore Class Plays

The three one-act sophomore class plays, under the direction of Mr. Theodore Carlquest, were presented on February 16 at 8 p.m. in the Wilson auditorium. The student directors were Karen Becker and Priscilla McKenzie. Joan Cuffel, Marlene Ament and Patty Braley acted as prompters. Make-up committee included Marilyn Grover, Betty Fortner and Donna Wilson. Stage crew helpers were George Day, Larry Scott, Allyn Moe and John Turnland.

THE LEGEND OF CAMILLE

This one act drama by Charles George is an adaptation of the famous French play "Camille", by Alexander Dumas the Younger. This romantic story tells of a bewitching coquette who carries on a tempestuous and ill-fated romance with the handsome Amand Duval.

The setting is Paris, and the cast is composed entirely of women. Camille is portrayed by Mary Margaret Rupp; Nanie, Ann Hankens; Madame Prudence, Jo Ann Burkhart; Olympe, Myrna Cowan, and Antoinette, Donna Lanxon.

SUBMERGED

A tragedy by H. Stuart Cottman, takes place in the forward compartment in a wrecked and submerged submarine. A commander and five men are trapped on the bottom of the ocean. The suspense and fatal tragedy which composes this play make it one of the best ever written.

The all male cast includes the following boys: McAndrews, the commander, Dennis Wray; Bruce, the coward, Donald Bevins; Dunn, the lover, Robert Armbricht; Shaw, the dreamer, Tracy Anderson; and Jorgson, the bully, Lester Hicks.

XINGU

A comedy in one act by Thomas Seller, is a dramatization of Edith Warton's story. A group of club women try to entertain a high-hat woman novelist. To start a conversation, one member begins to talk about Xingu, a word that no one knows of, but one that no one will admit. The result is an entertaining comedy.

This play had an all-girl cast with the part of Mrs. Ballinger played by Doris Hall; Mrs. Leveret, Virginia Derksen; Mrs. Plynth, Marika Williams; Miss Van Vluyck, Carol Berkler, Miss Laura Glyde, Nancy Kintigh; Mrs. Fanny Roby, Elizabeth Gentry; Osric Dane, Sue Eaton, and the maid, Patsy Wayman.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

The picnics, parties, skates, hikes,
The trips between on cars and bikes;
How many happy times we've had,
These will live and make us glad.



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M. E. Christopherson
Lenore Langrock
William Luther

HOMEROOM ELEVEN



Front Row: JoAnn Burkhardt, Vinaray Rienfeld, Carol Berkler, Patricia Gillespie, La Vonne Farlee, Susan Eaton, Kay Reed, Joan Cuffel, Larry Scott.

Middle Row: Nancy Jo Kintigh, Jeanne Mulkey, Ann Hankens, Patricia Wayman, Margaret Woodard, Marjorie Grauer, Velda Maffin, Marlene Ament, James Longbottom, Wayne Bryant.

Back Row: Mr. Luther, Glenn Hegre, Richard Kowalke, James Ainslie, Robert Ambrecht, Robert Klatt, John Ranney, LeRoy Nelson, Joe Beals, Allyn Moe.

Not Pictured: Connie Dreyer, Wayne Schnieder.

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Kay Reed — *Treasurer*

Robert Klatt — *Vice-President*

W. C. Luther — *Advisor*

HOMEROOM TWO



Front Row: Katherine Frisbie, Donna Speelman, Lynda Robinson, Janet Hansen, Mary Miller, Donna Lanxon, Patricia Braley, Altamae Briden.

Middle Row: Norma Garris, Priscilla McKenzie, Donna Wilson, Sheryl Johnson, Lester Hicks, JoAnn Griffith, Kenneth Bugh, Fred Nielsen, Miss Langrock.

Back Row: Kenneth Martin, George Day, James Tock, Dennis Wray, John Turnland, John Andrews, Tracy Anderson, Harold Serman.

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HOMEROOM FIVE



Front Row: Virginia Derksen, Dorice Hall, Carol Hahn, Karen Becker, Janet McAlpine, Carol Swanger, Elizabeth Gentry, Elda Jane Hatterman, Marika Williams, Betty Fortner.

Middle Row: Mr. Christopherson, Billie Mulkey, Helen Cline, Robert McFarlane, Neil Lickiss, Don Bevins, Marlene Jensen, Mary Margaret Rupp, Myrna Cowan.

Back Row: Dennis Holmes, Paul Anderson, Raymond Brewer, John Mongan, Lowell Peters, Lanny Larson, Bill Kreykes, Terry Rupp.

Not Pictured: Donald Dreyer.

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Catherine Bowler	B. A.	State University of Iowa
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Joe E. Cuffel	B. A.	Iowa State Teachers College
	M.A.	Colorado State College of Education
Hulda Engel	B.S.	Southern State Teachers
Harriet Francisco	3 yrs.	Wayne State Teachers College
Russell Froyd	B. A.	State University of Iowa
Lois Gilstad	B. A.	Iowa State Teachers College
Ronald Henriksen	B. A.	St. Olaf College
Bruce Pickford	B.S.	Morningside College
Donald Reese	B. A.	State University of Iowa
Bernie Saggau	B. A.	Buena Vista College
Earl Sherman	B.S.	Wisconsin State College

Wilson Junior High



HOMEROOM NINETEEN



Front Row: Betty Keizer, Jackie Fogelman, Marilyn Ross, Sharon Swanger, Darline Ritz, Larry Green, John Derkson, Vicki Olson.
Second Row: Virginia Koeppen, Donna Crane, Betty Witcombe, Francis Patterson, Gary Woltman, James Scott, Keith Reiter.
Third Row: Ronald Wadsley, Erndine Barnes, Joanne Rubbert, Eleanor Conley, Marla Miller, Diana Curtis, Karin Baum, Dwight Morrow.
Back Row: Larry Wheeler, John Keeline, Gretchen Muller, Maurice Hartliep, Charles Dunn, Lowell Ruge, Phillip Roberts.

HOMEROOM FIFTEEN



Front Row: Lee Knight, Roger Perrin, Judy Orchard, Laura Wayman, Nancy Niles, Carol Carey.
Second Row: Harlene Sexton, Marilyn Munson, Velma Johnson, Janice Clark, Marcella Johnson, Helen Collins, Merl Pruett.
Third Row: Ted Klopp, Darlene Nelson, Eleanor Schwenn, Joan Rupp, Bonnie Smith, Lorraine Witcombe, Larry Jensen, Boyd Rasmus.
Back Row: Carol Carlson, Joan Otto, Denny Quinn, Jeannette Ranard, Nancy Westphal, Joan Russell, Patricia Gowan, Janice Yaggy.

HOMEROOM TWO



Front Row: Richard Scott, Rodney Howard, Ronald Baldner, Rodney Groepper, James Jensen, Jerry Ritter.
Middle Row: Fred Hollenbeck, Carl Anderson, James Nelson, Larry Anderson, Donald Wadsley, Roger Smith.
Back Row: Donald Nelson, Dennis Mummert, Paul Heath, Sam Gianopolus, Richard Hein, Charles Davis, Keith Boardman.

EIGHTH GRADE



Front Row: Jim Derksen, Carl Wilson, Paul Fuhrman, Harold Augard, Donald Bechtel, David Ferrin, Alice Ann Alloway, Anne Hughes, Dian Grove, Larry Robinson, Jack Hanson.
Second Row: Dallas Smith, Nancy Allison, Roger Smith, Oskar Berner, Joanne Moe, Donald Witcombe, Donna Webb, Janet Swanson, Lorraine White, Nancy Moses, Doris Maffin.
Third Row: Deloss Smith, Carol Kelly, Donna Swanger, Vickie Nielsen, Nina Robinson, Kay Peterson, Coleen Morrow, Judy Miller, Judy Hall, Nicholas Williams, Dennis Dilocker, Ronald Rahn.
Back Row: Dennis Smith, Phyllis Elliott, Peggy Hughes, Deanna Poulson, Dorothy Nelson, Carolyn Van Amberg, Curtis Johnson, Jerry Lindberg, Stanley McKenzie, James Keeline, Pat Anderson, Robert Grauer, Karl Peterson.



Front Row: Dale Ferrin, Peggy Bryant, Beverly Witcombe, Patricia Patterson, Julia Booth, Jack Bierman, Steve Olson, Paul Bunn, Edward Walker, Robert Hicks, Barbara Conley.
Second Row: Lee Nelson, Steven Maxwell, Robert Maxwell, Robert Warrender, Roger Cunningham, Gary Fuhrman, Larry Hetrick, James Waddell, Colleen Derby, Judy Bowen.
Third Row: Jon Howdeshell, Connie Johnson, Phyllis Smith, Eugene Retnert, James Ranney, Patricia Barry, Andrea McClintock, Judy Simmons, Carlene Benander, Mary Jo Brown, Jeanne Crocker.
Back Row: Larry Woodard, James Booth, Geraldine Clement, Roger Hahn, Dennis Tharpe, Stanley Roberts, Lloyd Swanson, Gary Herron, David Lickiss, Douglas Mathias.

SEVENTH GRADE



Front Row: Anna Hollingshead, Cecil Fletcher, Judith Gulling, Sherryl Leonard, Barbara Brasser, Margaret Duvall, Dennis Unger, Rosemary Schmidt, Nancy Welch.
Second Row: Larry Decker, James Mueller, Gayle Fuhrman, Carolyn Fuhrman, Jane Nelson, Roger White, Lee White, Daniel Hankens, Gary Meyer.
Third Row: Harold Burch, Richard Anderson, James Fortner, Gary Bunn, Ann McCollister, Ruby Smith, Marjorie Smith, Gerald Sears.
Back Row: Sandra Mullenberg, Colette Warriner, Douglas Wray, Kay Hobbs, Thais Herron, Cary Steig, Nancy Keller, Charles Seaman, David Urban.



Front Row: Gerald Campbell, Roger Briden, Paris Mentis, Donald Urban, Alvin Appletoft, John Russell, Karin Davis, Thomas Hetrick.
Second Row: Craig Henderson, Donald Good, Thomas Augard, Clara Benson, Delores Bengston, Sue Scott, Melba Witcombe, Carol Sue Peterson, James Becker.
Third Row: Marilyn Brooker, Mona Meadows, Sandra Berry, Eilene Hegre, Nancy Fowler, Jean Nelson, Sharon Davis, Sherrill Roberts, Audrey Good, Sandra Wilson.
Back Row: Roy Wilson, Billy Mongon, Delores Wetherell, Patty Ann Miller, Betty Clark, Phyllis Olin, Mahlon Stief, Gary Sonksen, Robert Hall, Billy Lee.

Pow Wow Staff



Front Row: Carole Newland, Donna Lanxon, Janet McAlpine, Velda Maffin, Paula Wilcox, Irene Angnos, Sharon Holmes, Marilyn Alloway, Nancy Casey, June McLaughlin.

Middle Row: JoAnn Burkhardt, Ann Hankens, Darlene Clement, Patricia Florine, Lois Ehrich, Nancy Kintigh, Margaret Fuchs, Betty McKenzie, Shirley Lauer, Lee Ann Anderson.

Back Rows Barbara Seaman, Caryl Lee Kreykes, Mary Margaret Rupp, Ronald McManus, Patricia Osterling, John Andrews, Joan Hantsbarger, Charles Stiles, Barbara Wallace, Kay Rasmus, Mr. Jesse Lundy, faculty advisor.

POW WOW

Pow Wow originated in 1934 as only a mimeographed school paper. Through the years, it has come to appear every Monday night as a full-page section in the Cherokee Daily Times.

A worthwhile, interesting, and newsy Pow Wow each week is the goal for which the thirty members of the staff give their time and talents. Lee Ann Anderson and Barbara Wallace, co-editors, and Mr. Lundy, Pow Wow advisor, successfully guided the staff in producing a comparable paper.

June McLaughlin and Jo Ann Burkhardt wrote the worthwhile editorials. Reporting the news from school were Paula Wilcox, Nancy Casey, Marilyn Alloway, Joan Hantsbarger, Mary Margaret Rupp, Patsy Florine, and Donna Lanxon. Shirley Lauer, Patricia Osterling, and Lois Ehrich penned some clever features, while John Andrews and Charles Stiles very capably handled boys' sports. Darlene Clement kept us informed of girls' sports and of the music activities.

The artistic abilities of Caryl Lee Kreykes and Kay Rasmus resulted in clever and interesting cartoons. Ronnie McManus, photographer, faithfully kept Pow Wow supplied with snap-shots. Janet McAlpine and Nancy Kintigh exchanged papers with many high school and colleges, and in the form of an exchange column, penned many items of interest. Carole Newland took charge as secretary and kept all of the records.

Irene Angnos and Ann Hankins proof read all of the copies after the typists, Betty McKenzie, Barbara Seaman, and Sharon Holmes, headed by Margaret Fuchs, had completed the typing in preparation for Velda Maffin, flunky, to take the finished copy to the printer.

Five staff members, Lee Ann Anderson, Barbara Wallace, Caryl Lee Kreykes, June McLaughlin, and Charles Stiles, attended the Iowa High School Press Association convention, (I.H.S.P.A.) in Des Moines, on November 13 and 14. They attended discussion groups and entered writing contests. Lee Ann Anderson received an honorable mention in the News Writing contest. The trip was highlighted with a banquet at the University church, and with being guests of the I.H.S.P.A. to the college football game. The delegates returned with some good ideas for improvement of Pow Wow, which were presented to the staff.

Membership requirements for Pow Wow are the desire to write, better than average ability, maximum effort, and punctuality. It is these qualities of the writers which qualify Pow Wow to deserve an "excellent" rating by the National Scholastic Press Association. Cherokee was one of the few smaller high school to receive this rating.



Quill and Scroll

It was February 6, 1938, when the international honorary society for high school journalists was introduced in Cherokee High School. The principal function of this honorary organization is to hold an annual banquet at which the new members are initiated into the organization.

Membership is based on four main requirements. The student must be a junior or a senior in high school and in the upper one-third of his class in scholastic standing. Recommendation by the faculty advisor is essential, as is the acceptance and approval of an example of the student's journalistic work, by the National Quill and Scroll board.

The Annual Quill and Scroll banquet was held April 27, with Charles Stiles as master of ceremonies, Lee Ann Anderson, Barbara Wallace, Caryl Lee Kreykes and June McLaughlin, all present officers of Quill and Scroll, as host and hostesses to the initiates. The initiates, Patsy Florine, Joan Hantsbarger, Paula Wilcox, Patricia Osterling, Shirley Lauer, and Lois Ehrich, spoke on an appointed phase of journalism.

Art Service Club



Front Row: Marika Williams, Jeanene Johnson, Joan Cuffel, Paula Wilcox, Irene Angnos, Jane Shultz, Barbara Wallace, Sylvia Gorna, Joan Keeline, Janet McAlpine, Carole Newland.
Second Row: Sandra Locke, Lynda Robinson, Patty Peterson, Caryl Lee Kreykes, Barbara Seaman, Janet Hansen, Velda Maffin, Carol Anderson, Peggy Waddell, Lee Ann Anderson.
Third Row: Mr. Donald Reese, Ruth Peterson, Mary Jane Van Amberg, Donna Smith, Julie Quinn, Darlene Clement, La Donna Adamson, Lola Tuttle, June McLaughlin, Helen Cline.
Back Row: Sheryl Johnson, Shirley Phipps, Shirley Lauer, Beverly Fischer, Lois Ehrich, Joyce Ehlers, Ronald McManus, Dennis Wray, Kay Rasmus, Jeannette Wester.

One year ago the Art Service Club was formed. The purpose of this organization is to perform any art work required or needed by the school system and to provide useful experience for the members.

Mr. Reese, art instructor, is faculty advisor. Officers of the organization are: Caryl Lee Kreykes, president; Joan Keeline, vice-president; Sylvia Gorna, secretary; and Barbara Wallace, treasurer.

Meetings are held Tuesday and Wednesday after school in the art room, at Wilson Junior High School. Various awards including a membership pin in the form of a palette, a letter "C", and numerals to be attached to the pin are given in accordance with the number of working hours a member has contributed.

Some of the duties of the ASC include posters, stage decorations, signs, and anything else requested in the way of art service. The organization has worked in co-operation with the cheerleaders and the band by decorating the school and making decorations for the band performances before each game. The Art Service Club sponsored an exhibit at the Sanford Museum and pieces from this exhibit were chosen to be displayed at the Iowa State Fair in an exhibition sponsored by the club. A small group was also chosen to attend the 24th annual Iowa High School Art Exhibition at the University of Iowa on Saturday, April 24, 1954. Other special projects include a pot luck supper and an initiation-installation breakfast. The organization earned money by selling concessions at one of the games, selling "lick 'em" suckers, and working for various clubs and businesses in Cherokee.

There are only four main requirements other than being at least a Sophomore and having a "C" average. They are co-operation, industry, initiative, and imagination.

"Where there is a will, there is a way."

AUDIO-VISUAL CLUB

The Audio-Visual Club was for boys interested in motion picture projectors, slide projectors, and tape recorders. After a period of instruction these boys received practical experience by operating machines in the school. As a result of this training, the boys were able to assist teachers by efficient operation of the machines during periods of visual classroom instruction.



Front Row: Lorne Leeds, Daniel Miller, Donald Bevins, Tracy Anderson, Willard Brinegar, James Longbottom.
Middle Row: Edgar Lickiss, Wayne Ekren, Leonard Ranney, Raymond Brewer, William Kreykes.
Back Row: Richard Kowalke, James Hyde, Dennis Wray, Donald Malcom, Mr. Bohner, faculty advisor.

DRIVER TRAINING

Under the capable supervision of Mr. Froyd, driver training students were taught the laws of Iowa plus the fundamentals of good and safe driving. Each student had two hour classes weekly. At the end of the course the students were given tests by the Iowa Highway Patrol and received their drivers' license.

1st Semester

Terry Rupp
 Jim Ainslie
 John Andrews
 Lester Hicks
 Darlene Clement
 Clella Turnquist
 Mary Frances Peterson
 Kenneth Bugh
 Jo Ann Griffith
 Patsy Wayman
 Williard Brinegar
 Lorene Johnson
 Paula Wilcox
 Veda Rice
 Caroline Cosier

2nd Semester

Donna Wilson
 Sheryl Johnson
 Marika Williams
 George Day
 James Longbottom
 Jo Ann Burkhart
 Elda Jane Hatterman
 Billie Mulkey
 Mary Jo Barry
 Nancy Casey
 Margaret Carlson
 Donna Lanxon
 Carole Newland
 Larry Scott
 Glen Hegre
 Mike Walker



Girls' Service Club



Front Row: Joan Burkhart, Barbara Seaman, Margaret Fuchs, Irene Angnos, Shirley Howard.
Second Row: Carol Swanger, Juanita Coughill, Lorene Johnson, Ann Johnson, Shirley Gehrts.
Back Row: Barbara Wallace, Caryl Lee Kreykes, Donna Wilson, Lola Tuttle, Miss Langrock, faculty advisor.

SERVICE CLUB BOARD

Barbara Seaman	President
Caryl Lee Kreykes	First Vice-President
Irene Angnos	Second Vice-President
Margaret Fuchs	Secretary
Barbara Wallace	Treasurer

Girls' Service Club is an all-girl organization to promote friendliness among the girls of Washington High. One girl from each homeroom was elected to serve on the cabinet. They were: Homeroom 1, Lola Tuttle; 12, Shirley Gehrts; 13, Ann Johnson; 3, Lorene Johnson; 4, Shirley Howard; 2, Donna Lanxon; 5 Carol Swanger; and 11, JoAnn Burkhart.

The Finance Committee sold favors for homecoming, and the club also entered a float in the parade. During the Christmas season, the Decoration Committee was called upon to decorate the Christmas trees. On February 14, the Social Committee presented a pep skit. The Easter Program was planned and given by the Program Committee. The Service Committee chose and bought a blanket and pillow for the girl's conference room. The traditional senior mother's tea was given May 19, and the new officers were installed.

Girls' Service Club

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Co-chairmen: Margaret Fuchs and Jeanette Wester.

Donna Beck
Altamae Briden
Nancy Casey
Juanita Cougill
Lois Ehrich
Shirley Gehrts
Sylvia Gorna
Ann Hankens

Joan Hantsbarger
Alice Jean Hetrick
Sharon Holmes
Marlene Jensen
Jeanene Johnson
Sally Jones
Betty McKenzie

La Von Peck
Mary Peterson
Patty Peterson
Patricia Osterling
Kay Reed
Sally Robinson
Jeanette Wester

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Co-chairmen: Caryl Lee Kreykes and Marilyn Alloway.

LaDonna Adamson
Lee Ann Anderson
Mary Jo Barry
JoAnn Burkhart
Margaret Carlson
Merry Clark
Helen Cline
Susan Eaton

Patsy Florine
Marjorie Grauer
Dorice Hall
Shirley Howard
Mary Miller
Ruth Peterson
Julie Quinn
Kay Rasmus

Mary Margaret Rupp
Janie Shultz
Donna Smith
Jackie Spence
Peggy Waddell
Paula Wilcox
Mary Jane VanAmberg

SERVICE COMMITTEE

Co-chairmen: Barbara Seaman and Beverly Fee.

Charlene Conley
Wanda Dilocker
Karen Grauer
Lorraine Halstrom
Janet Hansen
Ann Johnson

Lorene Johnson
Patricia Lash
Lois Menke
Priscilla McKenzie
June McLaughlin
Kay Nelson

Shirley Phipps
Donna Speelman
Jeanette Swanger
Patsy Wayman
Margaret Woodard

DECORATION COMMITTEE

Co-chairmen: Carol Anderson and Irene Angnos.

Patty Braley
Darlene Clement
Kay Colvert
Marilee Dorr
Joyce Ehlers
Kathy Frisbie

Elizabeth Gentry
Mary Ann Grauer
Carol Hahn
Jaynie Hatterman
Joan Keeline

Donna Lanxon
Velda Maffin
Susan Stiles
Lola Tuttle
Marika Williams

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Co-chairmen: Barbara Wallace and Carole Newland.

Marlene Ament
Karen Becker
Janet Bengston
Mary Lou Byouer
Myrna Cowan
Joan Cuffel
Darlene Cummins
La Vonne Farlee
Beverly Fischer

Betty Fortner
Norma Garris
Patricia Gillespie
Marilyn Halstrom
Sheryl Johnson
Lorraine Johnson
Alice Julius
Nancy Kintigh

Margo Latham
Shirley Lauer
Fern Nelson
Joan Redman
Veda Rice
Carol Swanger
Clella Turnquist
Donna Wilson

Educational Trips

Mr. Lundy went with a group of seniors to Spencer to attend some meetings on activity advisement. Barbara Wallace and Lee Ann Anderson worked with others interested in high school newspapers; Shirley Lauer and Betty McKenzie, school annuals; and LaVon Peck, student council activities.

Mr. Christopherson, Mr. Luther, and members of their social problems classes visit the State Mental Health Institute in Cherokee and the State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Mr. Moe and members of his physics class visit the furnace room in the new high school to learn more about the operation of automatic heating systems in large buildings.



Vocal Music Groups

MIXED CHORUS



Front Row: Jeanene Johnson, Mary Jane Van Amberg, Karin Grauer, Janice Stevens, Patricia Gillespie, Sharon Holmes, Kay Nelson, Alice Hetrick, Janet McAlpine, Marilyn Halstrom, Marilyn Alloway, Lois Menke, Nancy Casey.
Second Row: JoAnn Burkhart, Jean Mulkey, Joan Hantsbargar, Lorene Johnson, Irene Angnos, Barbara Wallace, Dorothea Adolf, Lois Ehrich, Patricia Osterling, Shirley Lauer, Marilyn Swanson, Patty Peterson, LaDonna Adamson, Margaret Fuchs, Mary Ann Grauer, Charlene Conley.
Third Row: June McLaughlin, Jane Shultz, Delores Jenness, Caryle Lee Kreykes, Lee Ann Anderson, Helen Cline, Janet Bengston, Joyce Ehlers, Lanny Larson, Donald Malcom, Walter Benson, Dennis Holmes, Marlene Jensen, Julia Quinn, Paula Wilcox.
Back Row: Tracy Anderson, Robert Cuffel, Charles Stiles, Robert Ambrecht, Richard Sagness, James Hyde, Roger Hinkeldey, Charles Peterson, Dennis Wray, Gerald McGlothlen, Philip Hartliep, Ronald Hartliep, Richard Kowalke, Allyn Moe, Lester Hicks.

Mixed Chorus, with a membership of 60, filled the halls during the morning hours with harmony at Washington High. Under the direction of Miss McNally, they performed for Thanksgiving Vespers, sang in conjunction with the townmen's chorus for the Christmas program and gave a Spring concert. The highlight of the year was the participation in the annual Quad-City Music Festival held this Spring in Storm Lake, conducted by Mrs. McCanlogue of Cornell College.

CHEROKEE CAPERS

This fund raising variety program, by the music department, was held December 7 and 8, 1953.

The traditional "Linger Awhile" opened the program in the Wilson auditorium. Emcee Charles Stiles, attired in a black tuxedo, humorously presented each different act. Outstanding in the show was a pantomime of the famed "Little Blue Riding Hood" acted by a group of sophomore girls. A standing joke between Bones the Bum (Paul Anderson) and the emcee brought rounds of laughter from the audience and a surprise piano solo from Bones. Emcee Stiles sang his rendition of "Poor Little Robin" accompanied on his ukulele. A group of senior girls presented "School Days", a reminiscent act of the highlights of their thirteen years of school.

The show ended with the traditional "I'll See You In My Dreams".

Double Sextette



Front Row: Carol Sue Berkler, Karin Becker, Mary Miller, Joan Cuffel, Sally Jones, Altamae Briden.
Back Row: Kay Colvert, Donna Beck, Donna Smith, Margaret Carlson, Shirley Phipps, Ann Johnson.



GIRLS' TRIO

Joan Burkhart	Alto
Caryl Lee Kreykes	Mezzo
Mary Jane Van Amberg	Soprano
Sharon Holmes	Pianist

Girls' Glee Club



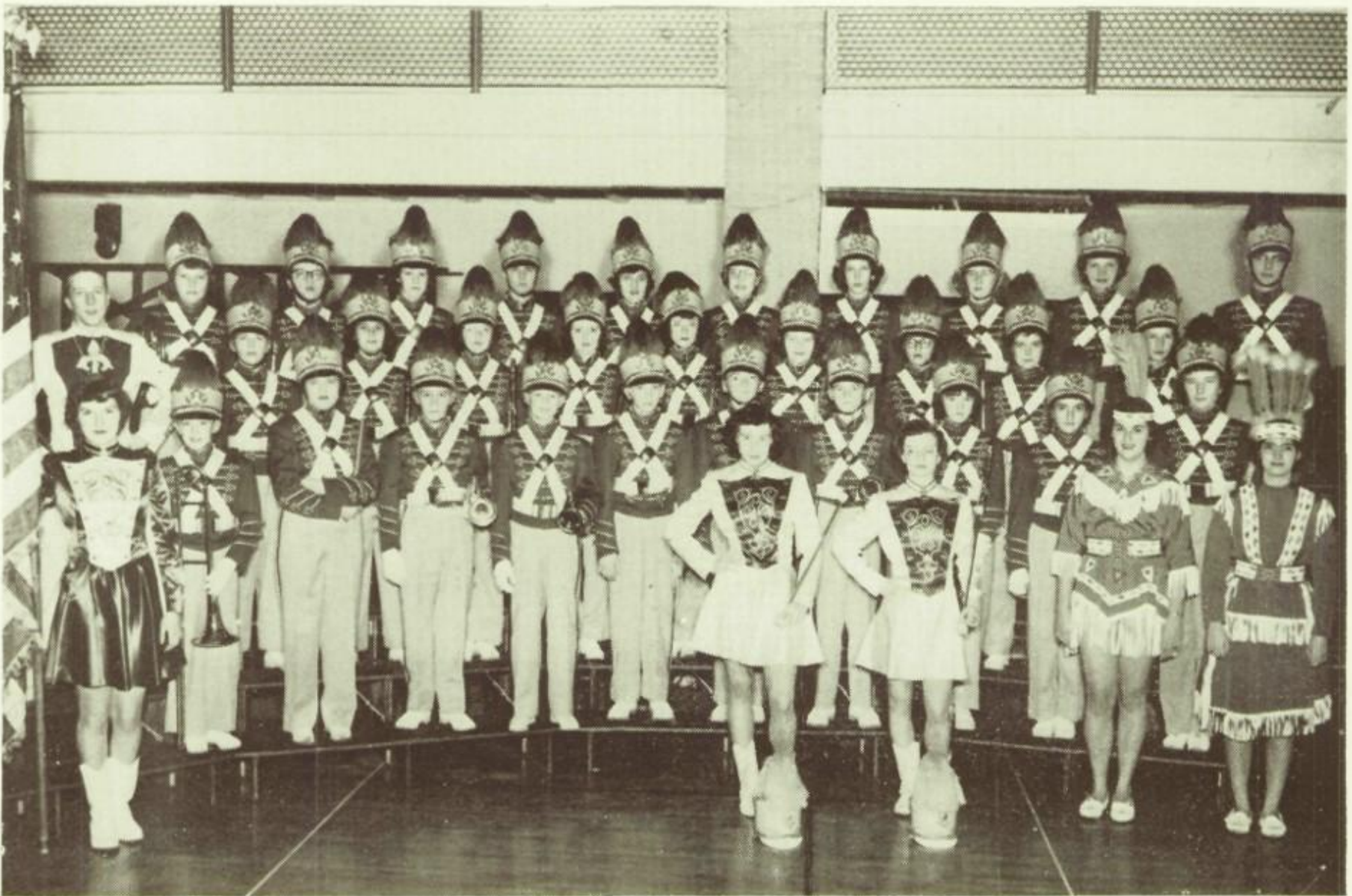
Front Row: Patricia Braley, Marjorie Grauer, Priscilla McKenzie, Kay Reed, Katherine Frisbie, Donna Wilson, Lynda Robinson.
Back Row: JoAnn Griffith, Lola Tuttle, Margaret Woodard, Patricia Wayman, Ann Hankens, Joan Keeline, Shirley Gehrts.

Girls' Choir



Front Row: Dorice Hall, Virginia Derkson, Marika Williams, Beverly Fee, Peggy Waddell, Margo Latham, Shirley Howard.
Middle Row: Sandra Locke, Carole Newland, Velda Maffin, Elda Jane Hatterman, Juanita Cougill, LaVonne Farlee, Donna Speelman, Susan Eaton.
Back Row: Susan Stiles, Myrna Cowan, Beverly Fisher, Kay Rasmus, Billie Mulkey, Mary Jo Barry, Mary Margaret Rupp, Janice Doherty.

Cherokee School



Front Row: Marlene Jensen, Sheryl Johnson, Nancy Casey, Shirley Lauer, Karen Grauer.

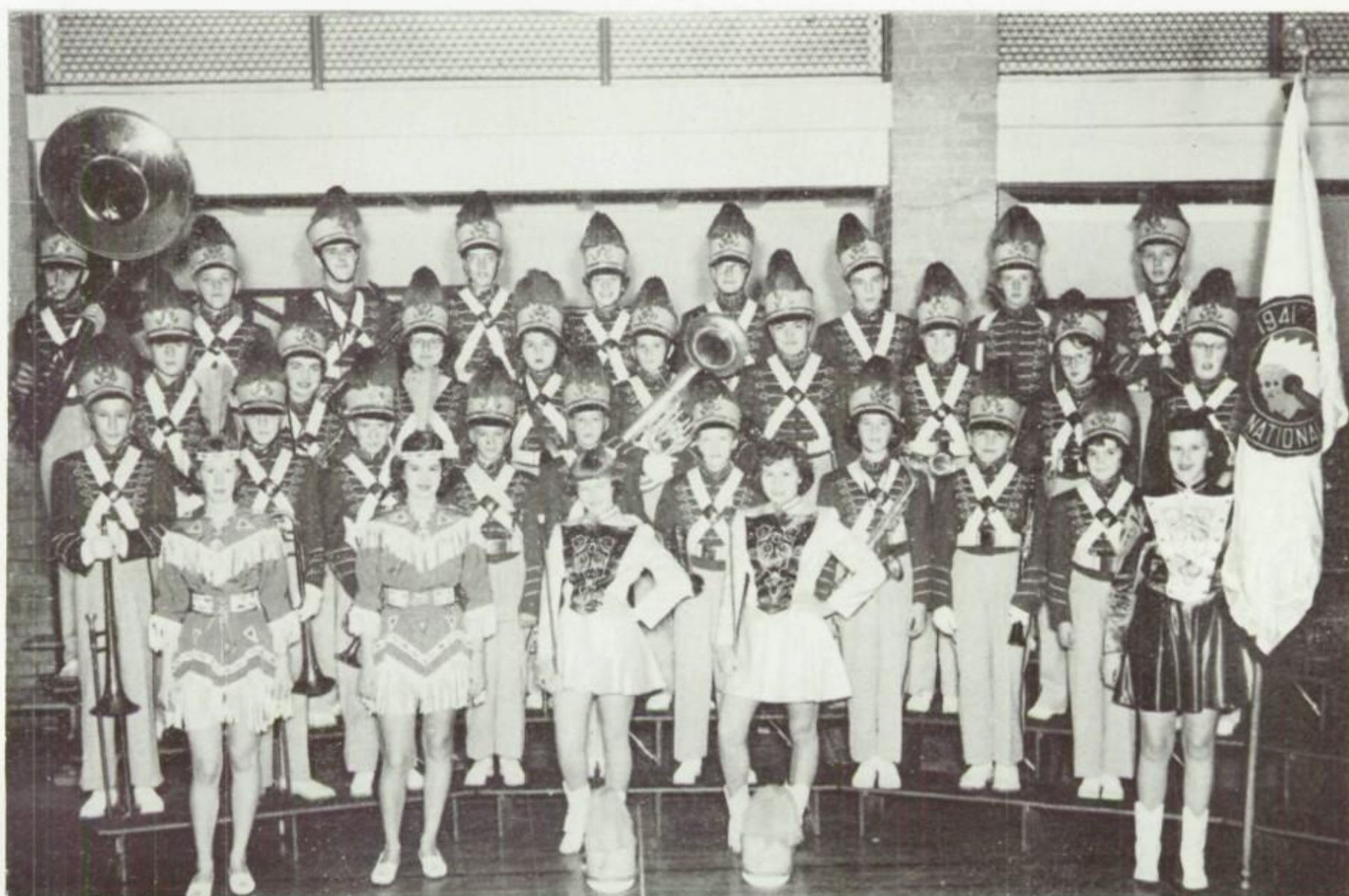
Second Row: Benny Miller, Pat Braley, Donald Erwin, Cecil Fletcher, Dick Anderson, Douglas Wray, Larry Scott, Sue Scott, Carol Shultz, Jan Yaggy.

Third Row: Dennis Quinn, David Logan, Collette Wariner, Joan Cuffel, Patricia Gillespie, Myrna Cowan, Ann Alloway, Karen Baum, Juanita Coughill, Janet McAlpine.

Back Row: Judy Sexton, June McLaughlin, Sandra Wilson, Kenny Lee, Caryl Lee Kreykes, Beverly Fischer, Phyllis Smith, Carolyn VanAmberg, Janet Bengston, Walter Bensen.

The Cherokee marching band is now attired in new uniforms of gray pants and hats, blue coats and red plumes, making a commanding appearance as the band marches on the football gridiron and the streets of Cherokee. Dennis Quinn, the new drum major, headed the band of 72 members. The band included 26 new personnel which hiked the band membership to 10 over last year. All these changes could only be surpassed by the fact that the band was marching for the new Washington High School.

Band Members



Front Row: Barbara Wallace, Joan Keeline, Nancy Niles, Darlene Ritz, Mary Ann Grauer.

Second Row: Deloss Smith, Carl Peterson, Gary Stieg, Gary Meyer, Jimmy Becker, Rex Ritz, Sharon Mahoney, Kenny Nelson, Nancy Welch.

Third Row: Donald Bevins, Charlene Conley, Donna Beck, La Donna Adamson, Bob Maxwell, George Day, Steve Maxwell, Sandra Locke, Julia Booth.

Back Row: Larry Wheeler, Allyn Moe, Jerry McGlothlen, Kenneth Nord, Lois Ehrich, Bob Cuffel, Bob Hall, Lee Ann Anderson, Albert Alingh.

The band marched for five home games and the Chamber of Commerce sponsored Santa Claus day in which the band's Darlene Ritz was chosen as Cherokee queen. LeMars was the band's only out-of-town trip to a football game. Band leader, Norman Meyer, plans a trip to either Veishea or Drake as a climax for a succesful season for the marching band.

The concert band staged the Midwinter Concert and Spring Concert in Cherokee and played in the Quad-City Concert (Storm Lake, Ida Grove, LeMars and Cherokee) which was held in Storm Lake.



Homecoming of 1953

"Long live the Queen! Long live the Queen!" was the traditional cheer which sent a vibrant thrill through the hearts of many of the Washington High students on Homecoming.

Homecoming Queen, Ruth Peterson, who graciously expressed her thanks for being chosen queen, and who wished our team the "best of luck", was attired in a lovely gown of blue and white. She was attended by four pretty seniors, Patty Peterson, Shirley Phipps, Barbara Wallace, and Shirley Lauer. After the coronation, Queen Ruthie and her attendants reigned over the parade and the homecoming game with Spirit Lake. It was the thrill and exuberance which Homecoming casts over the entire school body, which surged through the Cherokee Braves, and gave them the power to prove that on this all important day, they were undefeatable.



Barbara Wallace, Patty Peterson, Ruth Peterson, Shirley Phipps, Shirley Lauer.

THE BIG PARADE

The great variety of floats created a beautiful and interesting parade. The judges had difficulty in choosing the winning float, but finally decided upon "The Big Upset" by Senior Home-room One, which exhibited a big bottle of Pepto Bismol.

Pictured are some of the other floats and the marching band which led the colorful parade from the school through the business district which was thronged with thousands of excited Cherokeans who came to town to enjoy the homecoming day.



Honor "C" Club



Front Row: Robert Creel, Willard Webb, Larry Jones, Ronald Hahn, Charles Peterson, Larry Johnson, Ralph Martin, Karl Corrington, Donald Burkhart.
Middle Row: Mr. Christopherson, LeRoy Nelson, Ronald Scott, Robert Ambrecht, James Smith, James Light, Marvin Corrington, Charles Stiles, Leonard Ranney.
Back Row: Kenneth Nord, Robert Pinkerton, Robert Montgomery, James Tock, Al Lothrop, Patrick Pyan, Jerry McGlothlen, Richard Sagness, Robert Klatt.

Honor "C", a boy's athletic honor society open to all those who have received a letter in at least one of four major sports, meets every first and third Thursday of each month. Organized for the purpose of recognizing letter-winners and to help with various school projects such as all-school parties and game concessions, Honor "C" is a service club. Supervised by head football coach M. E. Christopherson, the 26 member club is under the leadership of the president, Ralph Martin; vice-president, Charles Stiles; and secretary-treasurer, Don Burkhart. Some of the projects sponsored the past year were an all-member supper and business meeting and an all-school party.

Cherokee Football Braves

FIRST TEAM



Front Row: Pat Ryan, Larry Johnson, Ronald Hahn, Leonard Ranney, Jim Smith, Don Burkhart, Bob Montgomery, Bob Arm-brecht, Chuck Peterson.

Back Row: Karl Corrington, Marvin Corrington, Chuck Stiles, Bob Creel, Willard Webb, Ralph Martin, LeRoy Nelson, Ronald Scott.

FROM THE RECORD BOOK

With two new coaches, M. E. Christopherson formerly from South Sioux City, and Bruce Pickford from Sanborn, and the adoption of the single-wing offense, Cherokee's football record fell below .500 for the first time in many years. However, the Braves' 2-7 record wasn't a good indication of their potential. The Braves simply couldn't grasp the new type of blocking demanded by the single-wing. Therefore, with three games left on the schedule, a switch to the old "T" somewhat buoyed Cherokee's lagging spirits. This was demonstrated by their fine showing against powerful Spencer.

Statistically speaking, the Tribe gained 1,245 yards compared to 1,513 for opponents. Opponents out-scored us 160 to 89. Cherokee was penalized 205 yards to 265 by opponents. Our punting average was 38.7 compared to 29.6 for the opposition. We completed 23 of 48 passes compared to 22 of 54 for opponents.

The season's final, supposedly a toss-up with Storm Lake, saw the Braves behind 14-0 only to roar back in the second half to win 33-14. It, along with the Spencer game, was a great demonstration of Cherokee courage and explosive ability. Another factor for the losing season was the fact that every team in the conference was pointed for the Braves. This was evidenced by the fact that many teams said the Cherokee game was their hardest contest.

Eleven seniors who played their last game for Cherokee were Stiles, Martin, Marvin Corrington, Johnson, Smith, Hahn, Burkhart, Ranney, Peterson, Ryan, and Webb.

Larry Johnson, steller Tribe tackle, was picked on the first all-conference team. Jim Smith, center, and Ralph Martin, back, were placed on the second team, and Chuck Stiles, back, and Ronald Hahn, tackle, received honorable mention.

Cherokee's 1953 Football Season

IDA GROVE 7 CHEROKEE 0

The Braves opened their 1953 season, under new head coach, M. E. Christopherson, by bowing to a powerful Ida Grove eleven 7-0. The Hawks, sporting their only touchdown early in the game as Cherokee stiffened on defense. Ron Hahn, Ralph Martin, and Pat Ryan showed well in holding the Hawk attack.

EMMETSBURG 7 CHEROKEE 6

Leading until late in the fourth quarter by Don Burkhardt's recovered fumble in the end zone, Cherokee again fell as Emmetsburg drove for the touchdown. The try for the extra point was good and Cherokee was on the short end of a 7-6 score. Larry Johnson, Burkhardt, and Martin were stand-outs on offense and defense both.

ESTHERVILLE 26 CHEROKEE 0

Estherville's Midgets, fresh from their 14-12 victory over Spencer and ranking fifth in the state in class AA, completely dominated the game and whalloped Cherokee 26-0. Frank Mahan and company simply out-charged the Braves and were never in trouble. Ralph Martin and center Jim Smith were defensive standouts, however, for the outgunned Tribe.

SHELDON 18 CHEROKEE 6

Sheldon, buoyed by homecoming, spoiled a determined Cherokee bid and rolled on to a hard-fought 18-6 victory. The Braves again scored first on Martin's plunge. Hahn and Johnson were mainstays in the line.

CHEROKEE 26 SPIRIT LAKE 13

This time homecoming worked in Cherokee's favor and they rolled on to victory. Martin, Marvin Corrington, and LeRoy Nelson all scored for the Braves.

SIBLEY 20 CHEROKEE 6

Playing on a cold rainy night at Sibley, the Braves sank to a new low, by losing to the Generals, for the first time in over 15 years. Cherokee once more scored first, but then seemed to fall apart. Martin and Chuck Stiles showed well offensively.

SPENCER 28 CHEROKEE 6

Playing one of their best games of the year, Cherokee threw a terrific scare into Spencer before bowing to superior power. It was Chuck Stiles who sprinted 97 yards from scrimmage to give the crowd its greatest thrill of the season and sent the Braves ahead 6-0 at the half. From then on, although the Braves refused to let down, Spencer simply poured on the power. They scored with 3 seconds left to give the margin. Bobby Creel, Martin, Smith, Hahn, Burkhardt, Johnson, and Peterson on defense, were Brave standouts.

LE MARS 27 CHEROKEE 7

Scoring first, for the fifth time of the season Cherokee started like they meant to win. However, a LeMars attack, which featured over 21 passes, started to click and the final score was all the Bulldog's. The Braves ground attack, good at times, was led by Martin, Webb, and Stiles while the Braves forward wall forced LeMars to the air.

CHEROKEE 33 STORM LAKE 14

Losing by 14 to nothing and seemingly headed for another defeat, Cherokee suddenly turned savage and chased the Tornadoes all over the field. Nelson scored first. Then Chuck Stiles threaded his way 41 yards for another. Martin then tallied twice on bull-doing smashes through the middle and finally, near the close, Stiles applied the coup-de-grace as he scored again around end. It was a terrific close to a dismal season and Coach Christopherson was carried from the field by the over-joyed Tribe. The resurgent Brave barrier was again manned by Ryan, Johnson, and Hahn as well as a host of others.

FOOTBALL SQUAD



Very Front: Roger Perrin.

Front Row: Marvin Corrington, Larry Johnson, Ronald Hahn, Pat Ryan, Ralph Martin, Willard Webb, Chuck Stiles, Chuck Peterson, Leonard Ranney.

Second Row: Don Burkhart, Jim Tock, Bob Ambrecht, Ronald Scott, Karl Corrington, Bob Montgomery, LeRoy Nelson, Bob Creel, Jim Smith.

Third Row: Dennis Holmes, Dick Sagness, Jim Light, Bob Pinkerton, Paul Rausch, Jim Ainslie, Dennis Wray, Bob Klatt, John Andrews.

Back Row: Coach Christopherson, Tracy Anderson, Bill Kreykes, Dennis Mummert, Don Nelson, Jim Nelson, Merl Pruett, Assistant Coach Pickford.

Football Braves

CHARLES "CHUCK" PETERSON . . . *Senior End* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . hard tackler . . . mainly defensive player . . . fine spirit and hustle.

PATRICK RYAN . . . *Senior End* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . valuable asset on both defense and offense . . . great pass receiver . . . liked it best when it was roughest.

ROBERT ARMBRECHT . . . *Sophomore End* . . . 1st year letterman . . . rugged both ways . . . fine attitude and willingness . . . should make him valuable asset to next year's squad.

JAMES TOCK . . . *Sophomore End* . . . 1st year letterman . . . willing to go when called upon . . . fine spirit . . . made most of his opportunities.

LARRY JOHNSON . . . *Senior Tackle* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . first team all-conference . . . leading tackler for two years . . . opened holes for valuable gains through opposing lines . . . all-state honorable mention.

RALPH "HUCK" MARTIN . . . *Senior Halfback* . . . 4th year letterman . . . powerful runner . . . terrific punter . . . hard tackler . . . 2nd all-conference back . . . essential element to the team.

CHARLES "CHUCKLES" STILES . . . *Senior Halfback* . . . 1st year letterman . . . speedy and shifty ball carrier . . . made the best run in Lakes Conference this season (97 yards against Spencer) . . . honorable mention all conference.

MARVIN "MERT" CORRINGTON . . . *Speedy Senior Halfback* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . dependable reserve . . . vastly improved ball player . . . always willing to give his all.

RONALD SCOTT . . . *Junior End and Halfback* . . . 1st year letterman . . . valuable reserve . . . saw a lot of action . . . good punter . . . hard runner . . . will be tough next year.

LEROY NELSON . . . *Reliable Sophomore Fullback* . . . 1st year letterman . . . handed key position in the buck lateral series . . . drove hard . . . valuable on defense.

WILLARD "SPIDER" WEBB . . . *Senior Fullback* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . terrific T formation fullback . . . lot of drive . . . good spirit . . . great team man.

ROBERT MONTGOMERY . . . *Junior Tackle* . . . 1st year letterman . . . improved greatly during course of season . . . fine spirit and hustle.

RICHARD SAGNESS . . . *Junior Tackle* . . . 1st year letterman . . . dependable player . . . used his weight to our advantages.

ROBERT "PINKY" PINKERTON . . . *Junior Tackle* . . . 1st year letterman . . . liked the game . . . steady and dependable . . . could be called on in confidence.

JAMES LIGHT . . . *Junior Guard* . . . 1st year letterman . . . earned his letter by hard work and faithfulness to the team . . . always could be depended on.

DONALD BURKHART . . . *Senior Guard* . . . 2nd year letterman . . . nicknamed Durable Don . . . best when the going was the roughest . . . worked hard for the team . . . chosen co-captain by teammates.

RONALD "CLIFF" HAHN . . . *Senior Block and Tackle* . . . great spirit . . . found great pleasure in good hard contact . . . conference honorable mention.

JAMES SMITH . . . *Senior Center* . . . 2 year letterman . . . 2nd All-Conference Team . . . rugged offensive player . . . vicious defensive man . . . main spark of team . . . liked the game when the going was roughest.

ROBERT KLATT . . . *Sophomore Center* . . . 1st year letterman . . . handled varsity duties well when called upon . . . played good defense.

ROBERT CREEL . . . *Junior Quarterback* . . . 1st year letterman . . . brains of the Braves . . . at best when handling T formation duties.

KARL "BUTCH" CORRINGTON . . . *Junior Back* . . . 1st year letterman . . . handled position well when called upon . . . greatly improved as season progressed.

LEONARD RANNEY . . . *Senior Guard* . . . 1st year letterman . . . ready to go when called upon . . . played hard.

All Opponent Team

The football team met at the home of Coach Christopherson for the annual letterman's dinner. At the dinner meeting the Braves picked their all opponent team as follows.

Donald McDougal	LeMars	End
Scott Scobel	Emmetsburg	Tackle
Lowell Schaper	Estherville	Guard
Wendel Schirrmacher	Ida Grove	Center
Gary Nelson	Spencer	Guard
Harold Johnson	Emmetsburg	Tackle
Dean Dawson	Spencer	End
Richard Kohnke	Sheldon	Q.B.
Frank Mahan	Estherville	L.H.
Duane Ebert	Sibley	F.B.
Gene De Koster	Spencer	R.H.

SECOND TEAM

Cherokee's second team coached by Mr. Pickford and Mr. Licklider also had a losing season winning one and losing four.

Cherokee	7	Storm Lake	0
Cherokee	7	Alta	13
Cherokee	0	Spencer	21
Cherokee	6	Storm Lake	24
Cherokee	7	Spencer	21

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE TEAM

This team played only one game, winning in the last minutes from LeMars.

Cherokee	13	LeMars	12
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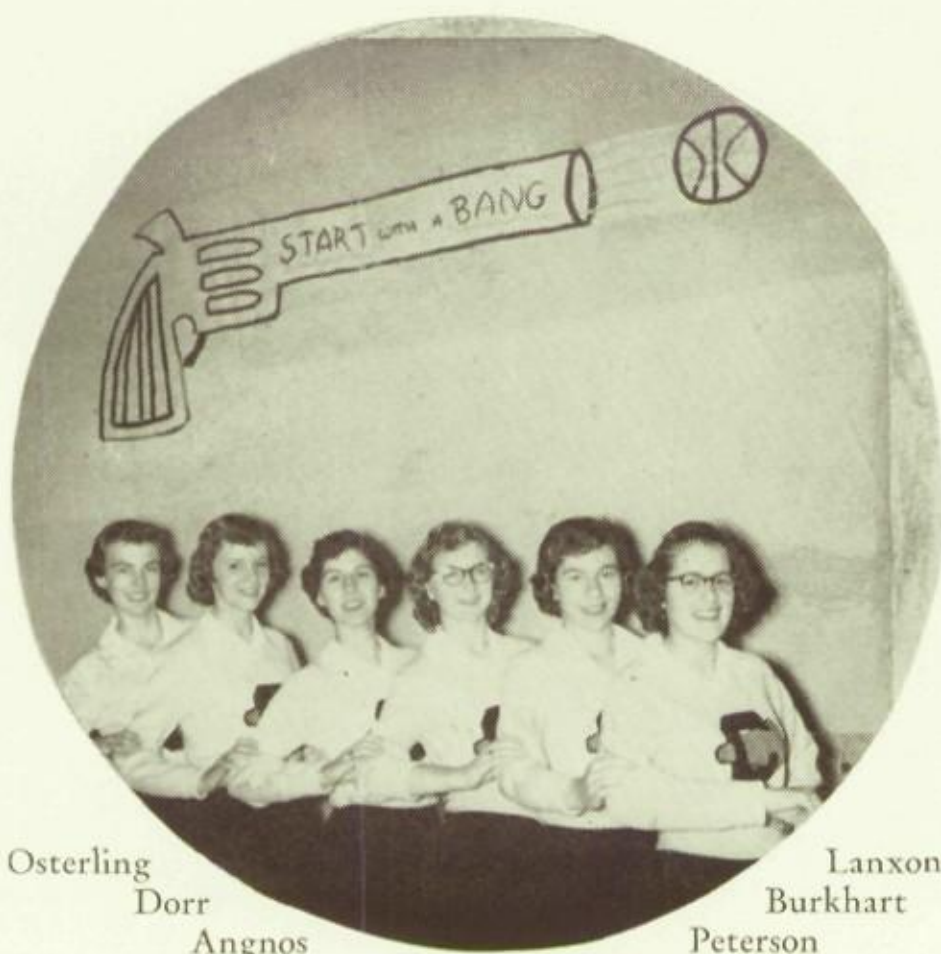
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CHEERLEADERS

Quick change artists — from
football and it's glamor to
basketball and its thrills —
are our own cheerleaders.

Picked by the student body,
they led our cheers, planned
pep skits, and followed the
teams to all the football and
basketball games this year.

The cheerleaders helped us win
our victories by relaying enthu-
siasm and the desire to win to
both the students and the players.



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Peterson

Basketball

FIRST TEAM



Front Row: Charles Stiles, Al Lothrop, Pat Ryan, Larry Johnson, Charles Peterson, Wayne Ekren.

Middle Row: Dick Sagness, Lowell Peters, Gaylord Peters, Dale Grauer, John Andrews, Ralph Martin.

Back Row: Student Manager Kenneth Nord, Ted Mahler, Leonard Ranney, Jim Light, Bob Montgomery, Tracy Anderson, Coach William "Bill" Luther.

BASKETBALL GAMES

Cherokee opened up the season with a win over Orange City 38 to 36. Al Lothrop was high point man with 13 points. Chuck Stiles hit the winning basket with 7 seconds before the final gun.

The Braves started out on the right foot in the Lakes Conference by downing Estherville 61 to 44. Pat Ryan swished 22 points for high honors.

Tough Paullina, Sioux Valley champs, used a stubborn defense and good rebounding to drop the Braves 51 to 44. Ryan scored 10 points for the Cherokee cause.

The Braves avenged an earlier football defeat by Sibley as they journeyed there to paste the Generals 52 to 36. Lothrop with 15 received high point honors.

The team, led by Pat Ryan's 19 points, hit 39 per cent from the field. Larry Johnson, hitting 13 markers himself, played probably the best defensive game of his career by holding big 6'4" Harold Johnson down to 12 points. Harold Johnson had previously been rated as one of the five hundred best high school ball players in the United States by Sport magazine. Lothrop, who contributed 16 points, along with newcomer Wayne Ekren played fine all around aggressive ball. The team won over Emmetsburg 57-45.

Although losing the Storm Lake game 54-52, Cherokee played mediocre to good ball. The points were fairly well distributed between Wayne Ekren, Pat Ryan, Al Lothrop, and Larry Johnson getting 16, 14, 10, and 6 respectively. Wayne Ekren rallied for the Braves in all around play. Poor defense and free throw shooting hindered the Braves.

In the Spirit Lake game (54-44, Cherokee's favor), Dick Sagness saw his first real action when he replaced Pat Ryan who fouled out with 7 minutes to go after hitting 10 points. Dick dumped in 7 points in the latter minutes along with showing cool floor play. Lothrop led the scorers with 15 and was followed closely by Wayne Ekren with 12. Larry Johnson played fine defensive work along with hitting 7 points.

Losing another close game to Storm Lake (47-46) was probably the hardest defeat to take all year. The Braves tied the game up after conquering an 11 point deficit at half time, but to no avail. Lothrop led the scorers with 19, 15 coming in the 2nd half. Johnson and Ekren played their general good floor game.

Spencer handed the Braves their worst defeat of the season; a 53 to 37 slaughter at Spencer. No one on the Cherokee team could stop the scoring of the sharp shooting Spencer line.



Coach Luther and some of the members of the basketball team are giving serious consideration to their task of the evening as portrayed by this banner prepared by members of the Art Service Club — tear down their teepee — upset Spirit Lakes' chances of winning the game tonight.

Sheldon's invasion of Brave territory ended in a 51-43 defeat for the plucky Orabs. Chuck Peterson looked outstanding as he hawked this year's record of 17 rebounds for the Braves.

Sibley again tasted defeat at the hands of the Braves when they journeyed to Cherokee. As the final gun sounded, Sibley found themselves on the short end of the 54 to 40 score. Ryan again was Cherokee's ace in the hole.

Emmetsburg was the host to Cherokee for the second game which was nip and tuck all the way. The Braves were only slightly domineering, but the end of the game found the "E" Hawks trailing by a 45 to 42 score. Dick Sagness, Pat Ryan and Al Lothrop looked outstanding for the Braves.

In the 2nd game with Spirit Lake, Cherokee took a beating. The Braves got off to a good start, and it looked as if this was an easy one. But cold shooting and draggy rebounding in the second half cost the boys the game for they went down to defeat 49-41.

Cherokee gave a fine demonstration of ball handling skill to knock the plucky Spencer Tigers off by a score of 69 to 58. The Braves were led in victory by Ryan, Johnson, and Lothrop, the mainstays of the night.

The Sheldon Orabs couldn't hold the Braves down in the first quarter and it ended with the Braves 14-3. Trying to get the situation in hand, Sheldon came out the second quarter with a full court press. This was where the Braves met their doom as they were defeated 51-46.

The Braves got off to a poor start in their second game with Estherville and just couldn't seem to get going. Estherville, on the other hand, seemed to have lady luck on their side. Even though versatile Pat Ryan played outstanding ball he couldn't do it alone and Cherokee went down to defeat 54-49.

TOURNAMENT GAMES

SECTIONAL

Cherokee 43	Aurelia 33
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DISTRICT

Cherokee 53	Mapleton 35
Cherokee 59	Sac City 50

SUB-STATE

Cherokee 35	Pocahontas 51
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Basketball

SECOND TEAM



Front Row: Dick Scott, Larry Wheeler, Dennis Quinn, Dennis Mummert, Jerry Ritter, Roger Smith, Rodney Howard.

Middle Row: Jim Nelson, Merle Pruett, Terry Rupp, Phil Hartliep, Dennis Wray, Bill Kreykes, Allyn Moe, John Ranney, Ted Klopp, Jerry Anderson, Ronnie Baldner.

Back Row: Don Nelson, Jim Ainslie, Jim Tock, Bob Armbrrecht, Larry Watts, Bob Pinkerton, Lowell Peters, Bob Klatt, John Andrews, Ronald Scott, Dennis Holmes, Bob Creel, Coach Bruce Pickford.

BASKETBALL

The second team, consisting of freshmen, sophomores, and juniors who were not on the first team, played fifteen games winning eight and losing seven. Mr. Pickford coached the boys and at times had a starting lineup composed entirely of sophomores. Playing before large audiences these boys furnished real basketball thrills as they proved that they knew how to play the game with a will to win. In the county tournaments the freshmen-sophomores lost to Aurelia, the county champions, 35-23 in a first round game.

Basketball Lettermen

AL LOTHROP: 5'11" *Senior Forward* — First all-conference selection . . . dependable rebounder . . . good shot from any spot on the floor.

PAT RYAN: 6' *Senior Forward* — deadly jump shot made him the Braves' highest scorer . . . steady and dependable ball player . . . second all-conference five.

CHARLES STILES: 5'10" *Senior Guard* — second year letterman . . . good ball handler and defensive player . . . very good team player.

LARRY JOHNSON: 6'2" *Senior Forward* — second year letterman . . . works hard . . . good rebounder and one of the mainstays of the team.

CHARLES PETERSON: 6'2" *Senior Center* — greatly improved ball player . . . good rebounder and clutch player.

WAYNE EKREN: 5'9" *Junior Guard* — fine ball handler and dribbler . . . plays well out in front court.

JOHN ANDREWS: 5'11" *Sophomore Guard* — one of two underclassmen on the squad . . . played guard or post . . . could score from anywhere . . . good prospect.

RALPH MARTIN: 5'10" *Senior Guard* — good long shot . . . played well in clutch . . . could snag long rebounds.

RICHARD SAGNESS: 6'2" *Junior Forward-guard* — played both positions well . . . took the game seriously . . . good rebounder . . . good side shot.

LOWELL PETERS: 6'2" *Sophomore Center* — very good defensive man . . . could score when called upon . . . rebounded well . . . was always ready.

GAYLORD PETERS: 6'3" *Junior Center* — great height gave him rebounding advantage . . . is developing rapidly . . . should be good senior player.

DALE GRAUER: 6' *Senior Forward* — came along fast after midyear . . . good side shot . . . good team player.

Golf

Mr. Leslie Licklider became golf coach this year assisted by Mr. Walt Adamson, local pro. Two returning lettermen, junior Bob Creel and senior Al Lothrop, were joined by junior Larry Watts, sophomore Bob Klatt, and freshman Ronald Baldner to make up the 1954 golf team.

The past season the golf team won two dual meets and one quad-angular. They placed second in another four school meet and the Lakes Conference Meet. The team qualified for the state meet at Fort Dodge where they placed ninth. Al Lothrop was an Iowa delegate to the Junior Chamber of Commerce tournament held in Michigan.

Track

The cinder-men, under Coach M. E. "Chris" Christopherson, ran in brand new gold uniforms this season. Ten meets were scheduled with plans for the squad to go to the Drake Relays.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

April 2	Interclass Meet
April 9	Holstein Relays
April 17	Tomahawk Relays
April 21	Triangular Meet LeMars-Spencer-Cherokee
April 27	Duel Meet with Storm Lake
May 1	Sioux City Relays
May 6	Estherville Relays
May 14	District Meet
May 21	Lakes Conference Meet
May 29	State Track and Field Meet

Lettermen

Charles Stiles — low hurdles, sprint relays
Ralph Martin — sprint relays, shotput, hurdles
Marvin Corrington — sprint relays
Ronald Scott — middle relays
Larry Jones — sprints, middle distance

Other Outstanding Prospects

Charles Maffin, Willard Webb, Roger Maitland,
James Tock, Robert Armbrecht, Karl Corrington,
Tracy Anderson and Ted Mahler.

Girls' Athletic Association



Front Row: Ruth Peterson, La Donna Adamson, Darlene Clement, Sharon Holmes, Irene Angnos, Nancy Joe Kintigh.
Back Row: Miss Kirschbaum, faculty advisor, Marlene Jensen, Lois Ehrich, Shirley Lauer, Patricia Florine.

G. A. A. BOARD MEMBERS

Sharon Holmes	President
Patsy Florine	Vice-President
Shirley Lauer	Secretary
Ruth Peterson	Treasurer
La Donna Adamson	Point Recorder
Nancy Joe Kintigh	Point Recorder
Lois Ehrich	Point Recorder
Irene Angnos	Senior Representative
Darlene Clement	Junior Representative
Marlene Jensen	Sophomore Representative

G. A. A.

G.A.A. is our Girls' Athletic Association. In order to become a member, a girl must earn 100 points. Four points an hour are received for any girls' sport. Five points an hour are received if the activity is supervised. After the girl is initiated, she must make fifty points a semester in order to stay active.

Awards are earned by acquiring points: 350 points for a numeral; 500 points for a letter; 750 points for a stripe; and 1000 points for the state G.A.A. pin.

Faculty advisor is Miss Kirschbaum, physical education instructor.

G. A. A. MEMBERS

Seniors

Dorothea Adolf
Lee Ann Anderson
Irene Angnos
Mary Lou Byouer
Charlene Conley
Margaret Fuchs
Shirley Gehrts
Sylvia Gorna
Sharon Holmes
Ann Johnson
Alice Julius
Joan Keeline
Shirley Lauer
Sandra Locke
Betty McKenzie
June McLaughlin
Patricia Osterling
La Von Peck
Patty Peterson
Shirley Phipps
Sally Robinson
Barbara Seaman
Jane Shultz
Jeanette Swanger
Marilynn Swanson
Lola Tuttle
Barbara Wallace

Juniors

La Donna Adamson
Marilyn Alloway
Marlene Ament
Merry Clark
Darlene Clement
Kay Colvert
Caroline Cosier
Janice Doherty
Marilee Dorr
Lois Ehrich
Beverly Fischer
Karen Grauer
Mary Ann Grauer
Delores Jenness
Margo Latham
Doris Laursen
Marilyn Lickiss
Kay Nelson
Bernice Osterling
Mary Peterson
Julie Quinn
Kay Rasmus
Veda Rice
Susan Stiles
Paula Wilcox

Sophomores

Karen Becker
Patty Braley
Jo Ann Burkhart
Myrna Cowan
Joan Cuffel
Virginia Derksen
Sue Eaton
La Von Farlee
Betty Fortner
Katherine Frisbie
Norma Garris
Elizabeth Gentry
Patricia Gillespie
Marjorie Grauer
Jo Ann Griffith
Ann Hankens
Janet Hanson
Jane Hatterman
Marlene Jensen
Sheryl Johnson
Nancy Jo Kintigh
Donna Lanxon
Velda Maffin
Janet McAlpine
Priscilla McKenzie
Billy Mulkey
Jeanne Mulkey
Lynda Robinson
Mary Margaret Rupp
Donna Speelmon
Carol Swanger
Patsy Wayman
Marika Williams
Donna Mae Wilson
Margaret Woodard

GIRLS' INTRAMURALS

Nine homeroom teams competed for top honors in the girls' volleyball tournament. Senior homeroom Number One well earned the honor of being the winner.

Basketball teams were composed of any six or more girls who wanted to play together as a team. Six teams entered the competition. The junior girls with co-captains Kay Rasmus and Jeanette Wester defeated the senior team with Lee Ann Anderson and Alice Julius as co-captains for the championship title.

Other intramural sports included badminton, tennis, and ping pong.

G. A. A. AND HONOR C PARTY

November 17, 1953, was the night of the G.A.A. and Honor C all school costume party. The theme was The International Club and the Wilson gym was decorated with flags of the different countries and the students wore costumes to add reality to the occasion.

The costumes were judged by Mr. and Mrs. Moe, Mr. Bohner, and Joan Keeline. Winners were James Hyde who received a gift certificate and Lorene Johnson who won an autograph book. A door prize gift certificate went to Elizabeth Gentry.

Our Busy Days of School

FIRST SEMESTER

August

- 31 First day of school.

September

- 11 Ida Grove over Cherokee 7-0.
18 Cherokee 6, Emmetsburg 7.
21 Second team over Storm Lake 7-0.
25 Estherville stalls us 26-0.
28 Cherokee second team 7, Alta 13.

October

- 2 Roy Mayer presents his "magic".
2 Cherokee 6, Sheldon 18.
5 Cherokee Frosh-Soph 0, Spencer 21.
9 Homecoming — Cherokee tramples Spirit Lake 26-13 with petite Ruth Peterson as queen.
12 Cherokee second team 6, Storm Lake 24.
16 Sibley surpasses Cherokee 20-6.
20 Dan Moore talks on "Adventure in O.S.S."
23 Spencer upsets Cherokee 28-6.
26 Cherokee Frosh-Soph 7, Spencer 21.
30 LeMars smothers Cherokee 27-7.

November

- 6 Cherokee triumphs over Storm Lake 33-14.
13 All high school party.
13-14 Pow Wow trip to Des Moines.
18 Honor C Club supper and program.
19 C. E. Jones assembly on "New Trends in Science".
20 Juniors present "I Remember Mama".
24 Basketball with Cherokee over Orange City 38-36.
25 Thanksgiving program.
26-27 Thanksgiving vacation.
27 Cherokee spans Estherville 61-44.

December

- 1 Cherokee yields to Paullina 51-44.
4 Braves defeat Sibley 52-36.
7-8 Cherokee Capers.
11 Cherokee stalls Emmetsburg 57-45.
12 Storm Lake 54, Cherokee 52.
12 Conference speech clinic at Storm Lake.
18 Christmas program.
18 Cherokee upsets Spirit Lake 54-44.
22 We fall before Storm Lake in a thriller 47-46.

January

- 4 Back to school after two weeks vacation.
8 Cherokee surrenders to Spencer 53-36.
9 Braves march over Sheldon 51-43.
15 Sibley defeated 54-40.
18-23 County basketball tournament.
20-22 Semester examinations.
22 Cherokee 45-42 over Emmetsburg is a close one.

SECOND SEMESTER

January

- 29 Spirit Lake dunks the Braves 49-41.

February

- 2 Winter music concert.
5 Cherokee pushes past Spencer 69-58.
6 Sheldon 51, Cherokee 46.
12 Sectional—Cherokee over Aurelia 43-33.
16 Sophomore class presents three one-act plays.
17 Vocational conference.
19 Estherville upsets Cherokee 54-49.

March

- 10 Frank Biery presents a musical assembly.
26 All high school party.
31 Ben Hammond assembly as a "Cartoonist".

April

- 2 Spring music concert.
8 Senior class play.
15 Easter program.
16 Easter vacation Friday and Monday.
17 Tomahawk Relays
20 Wonderful travel program by Al Bell.
26 Royal Scots Quartet assembly.
27 Quill and Scroll banquet.
29 Spring music concert.

May

- 4-5 Quad City Music Festival.
7 Junior-Senior banquet and prom.
14 Last class session for the seniors.
17-18 Senior examinations.
23 Baccalaureate service.
24 Senior class picnic.
24 Class night awards and program.
25 Underclass awards assembly.
25 Semester examinations start today.
26 Commencement.
28 Last day of school for the year.
Report cards out at 1:00 p.m.
Hold your hats and let's go.

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 Champion Electric Store
 Charley's Restaurant
 Cherie and Mikes Shop
 Cherokee Bottling Company

Dear Al,
 Well its sure been
 alot of fun playing basketball with
 you. We've been playing together ever
 since 6th grade. It sure has gone
 fast hasn't it? Best of luck to
 the best basketball player in Washington
 High.
 Be good,
 Pat Ryan

Cherokee Courier
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 Dr. C. G. Barr
 Dr. Frank H. Collings
 Dr. J. Albert Fritz
 Dr. Leo C. Harrison

Al
 It looks like I'm the first
 to write on this page lucky.
 me. H. H.
 Remember when you used to
 come over to Webster school ground and
 and I know of nothing and all
 the boys would play foot ball.
 I want to wish you all the
 luck in the world because I
 know you will go along ways
 no matter what you do.

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all - our friend ship started way back in the 4th grade on a Sat. afternoon when you took me to a skate. That was meet of been a big day for me I can remember it like it happened yesterday. Its been fun going to school with you and seeing you take part in basketball. Best of luck in the future to a very sweet boy. Love Keeline

Greenwood-Whitlatch Funeral Home
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 J. C. Penney Company
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 Johnson Tin Shop
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 Rhoadside Greenhouse
 Royer and Son Jewelry
 Rutherford's Appliance
 Ryan's Barber Shop
 Salsbery Studio

Dear Al,
 This final year is almost over. Thank goodness! I'm getting very bored with school. I think our Govt. class is really a scream! Bill is so darned funny, he doesn't mean to be. I dare you to try jumping out one of the windblows here. Say - are in the gym? OK?
 I want to wish a really swell kid lots of luck in every thing in the future! A friend,
 Betty Adair

Schissel Manufacturing Company
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 Sioux Valley Savings and Loan Association
 Soda Grill
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 Steele State Bank
 Swanson's Hardware
 Swanson's Super Store
 Swezey's Hamburger Shop
 Thomson Studio
 Tomahawk Roller Rink
 Towne and Country Fashions and
 Velma's Specialty Shop
 Trimble's Furniture
 Victory Cleaners
 W. M. (Murph) Wayman Construction Company
 Wolff's

Dear Al,
 Well it sure doesn't seem like the year should be over. Have you had those you were discussing getting a new guy. I guess that's to a new guy. I hope you will like it.

This pen I have
 won't very good so
 you will have to do
 with the pencil. It has
 been fun have you in speech
 class and I will never forget that
 day you followed Carlquest way
 of waking. I hope Ol for the advise
 and I will try to be better next year.
 Great that mine good and best of wishes
 A seal
 Pete

Dear Al
 Well, game just about all done with your high school days.
 When you go off to collage and light moves away I'm going
 to be kind of lost. We haven't been seeing as much of each
 other lately as we used to but I still feel that you are the
 best friend I have. I wish you could come back a grade and
 stay with us next year. I think the two of us together could
 make a pretty good combination on the basketball floor or
 at least we'd have a heck of a lot of fun trying. I hope
 quite a little trouble thinking of the right things to say. Of course
 I have trouble thinking anyhow you know how it is. But I
 just want to say that my high school thus far has been for
 better because you were a part of it than it ever could've been
 without you. Best of luck in college and will still see a
 lot of each other because you'll be home on vacation
 sure. Love Al

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your buddy always,
Al

Dear Al,

It doesn't seem like it has been so long ago that we were in Junior High really living it up and here we are now almost through with a big phase of our lives — high school. Since you are going to school you can't say that this is the end of your school days but I can! It's really going to seem funny to be on our own. You and the "Mice" down south going to college and me and a typewriter here at home. And you with all those girls way down there and me still with a typewriter!! We really have had some good times together haven't we. Starting with Junior High, our parties at Chuckles, Eddie Kark's etc. And of course the good times in the haystack. I still say holding feet is "sexy"! ha - I'll never forget the fun we had last year when we went to their City. I'll never forget that night. There there was the prom. I guess I'll never make a good caddy at 6:00 in the morning. Maybe with practice though - - - - -! I can't hardly wait until Friday night and the prom this year. Boy you really got a raw deal — both proms with me. I guess that's what you get for waiting so long! Putting all joking aside I think you are the best and I think my thinking is good for say 75 or 80 years (?). Of course you never know — They say trailer life is pretty dangerous. Best of luck always in everything you do and I hope alot of those things will be with me. (Pretty forward ain't I!)

Love + kisses
Sharon

Dear Al,

Well you tried fellow, but I guess I'll just never make a golf player. Thanks for all the help just the same. Remember if you ever need a good caddy call - 1209. Have had lots of fun messin' with you.

Lots of luck,

Watten

Dear Al,

I don't know how I'm going to get along without your help with my Algebra II and Solid Geometry. I might not have gotten much work done in good old first hour study hall but we had good times anyway. We're really going to miss you next year though, and especially on the basketball team. I know a guy like you will go far in whatever you do though, but I'll still wish you lots of luck and all that old crud.

a buddy,
Ronnie Scott

Dear Al,

Hi ya Screwball! Well, seven more days of school, then we'll all be on our own, whether it's going to college, getting married, or something else. You're really a swell kid and one of the nicest. I hope after you get to college, you'll miss a certain sweet "little" girl from Cherokee with brown hair and hazel eyes. (S.L.H.) Some of the guys don't find it so bad supporting a wife while they're in school. The best of luck in everything you do and keep on having fun.

Luck and stuff,

Ruth Peterson

Don't forget our brilliant class after graduation. It's the best!

